

JOHN C. TURNER, who has called Hamlin his home for over 40 years, reminded us the other day that he had had the same post office box, No. 215, for 44 years.

"When I first came to this country I was assigned that number for my mail when the post office was located back of the present Safeway store site. Many years later it was moved to the place now occupied by Hamlin Flower Shop, and I kept the same box number. Then again three years ago when the post office was moved to its present site, I kept the same box for my mail." The elder insurance man said he had been a constant subscriber to The Dallas Morning News all during that period.

THERE'S A LOT of sage advice in those cute little rhymes released recently by the traffic safety division of the Texas Highway Department emphasizing the principles of safe driving. Here's one:

Check your speed  
For the kids, I plead!

TEN COMMANDMENTS of good will would be a good resolve for all of us. We picked these up from an exchange coming to our desk:

1. I will respect all men and women regardless of race and religion.
2. I will protect and defend my neighbor against the ravages of racial and religious bigotry.
3. I will exemplify in my own life the spirit of good-will and understanding.
4. I will challenge the philosophy of racial superiority by whomsoever it may be proclaimed, whether they be kings, dictators or demagogues.
5. I will not be misled by the false propaganda of those who would set race against race, nation against nation.
6. I will refuse to support any organization that has for its purpose the spreading of anti-Semitism, anti-Catholicism or anti-Protestantism.
7. I will establish comradeship with those who seek to exalt the spirit of love and friendship in the world.
8. I will attribute to those who differ from me the same degree of sincerity that I claim for myself.
9. I will uphold the civil rights and religious liberties of all citizens, whether I agree with them or not.
10. I will do more than live and let live—I will live and help live.

A HAMLIN GIRL working in an office had had some of her friends worried for some time about whether or not she was going to remain a bachelor girl.

Finally one morning she came into her office and began passing out cigars to the men and candy to the girls. Somewhat puzzled, her co-workers asked what the occasion was. Proudly she displayed a solitary on her left hand and announced:

"It's a boy—six feet tall and 185 pounds."

A PATIENT from Aspermont who was spending a few days in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital taking treatments was quizzed one morning by a nurse: "Did you drink the three pitchers of water and stay in bed like I told you?"

"Well," declared the patient, "I managed to carry out part of your instructions; I drank the three pitchers of water!"

## Simultaneous Revivals Scheduled at Neinda, McCaulley and Golan

Simultaneous revival meetings are slated next week-end at all three Methodist Churches in the McCaulley circuit, according to Rev. Gene Louder, pastor.

Beginning next Thursday evening, the service will continue through Sunday evening. Regular Sunday morning services will be at 11:00 in each of the churches, and people of those communities are invited to attend.

Rev. Nelson Smith of San Angelo, a student at McMurry College in Abilene, will do the preaching at Golan. Rev. Glenn O'Neal of Alamogordo, New Mexico, also a student at McMurry, will lead in the McCaulley meeting. Rev. Gene Louder will do the preaching in the Neinda services.



ANOTHER IN THE SERIES of Mystery Farm Pictures being run by The Herald is shown above. First person, other than the owner and his family, to correctly identify the view will be given a one-year subscription to Your Home Town Paper. In order to give readers of the paper living on the rural routes an equal chance at the identifying, no answers will be accepted before 1:00 p. m. Friday, either in person or telephoning to the paper office. The original aerial picture will be presented to the owner by The Herald.

## City-Wide Clean-Up Drive to Be Staged Week of April 18

### Business Houses And School Will Close Two Hours

Annual Clean-Up Week in Hamlin, which is destined to be one of the most thorough in the history of the community, has been set for April 18 through 23.

The date was set at a meeting of the health and sanitation committee of the Chamber of Commerce, held Tuesday morning in CC offices. Chairman Wesley Nail presided.

Several innovations for the 1954 community-wide clean-up are planned, Nail declared, that it is hoped will add impetus and interest to the concerted campaign.

"While we have in the past declared Clean-Up Weeks for our community," Nail pointed out, "we have never had complete cooperation of our people. We hope this year's beautification of our city and community will find added response which will result in improved civic appearances and improved health conditions."

While an entire week, from Monday through Saturday, has been designated as Clean-Up Week, special emphasis on designated vacant, public and school property will be given Thursday, April 21, from 2:00 till 4:00 p. m. During this period classes will be dismissed at Junior High School and High School, and business

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## Stewardship and Church Attendance Educational Plan Stated by Methodists

Hamlin First Methodist Church has entered into an educational plan of stewardship and church attendance, according to Pastor Darris L. Egger.

Official board of the church voted to adopt the Roy Farrow plan at the recommendation of the commission on finance. Plans and committees were introduced at the mid-week service last Wednesday evening.

Rev. W. C. Hadley, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Greece, attended the meeting at the local church. Rev. Hadley gave the invocation. Rev. Egger read the scripture. Carolyn McCleny directed group singing. Wesley Nail, general chairman of the plan, introduced Roy Farrow of Dallas, the guest speaker. Farrow is with the Texas Methodist College Association.

### Games to Be Featured At Neinda Gathering

Games will be featured at the regular community gathering this (Friday) evening at the Neinda community center, leaders of the vicinity announce.

Attendees are asked to bring sandwiches. Drinks will be sold at the snack bar.



Judge Joe W. Sheehy (above) of Tyler is one of the two judges presiding over the U. S. Eastern Judicial District of Texas.

### Four Additions Made In Methodist Revival

Spiritual life of the church and community was greatly strengthened by efforts of the recent revival in the First Methodist Church, declared Rev. Darris L. Egger, pastor. Preaching for the meeting was Rev. S. M. Dunnam of Hereford, and Rev. Rex Mauldin of Aspermont directed the music.

Fifteen decisions were made during the series of services, including four additions, Rev. Egger reports.

### Red Cross Quota For Community Almost Raised

Hamlin community had most of its quota in the annual Red Cross membership drive raised at mid-week, reported Carl Murrell, community drive chairman. About \$275 was lacking on the \$1,300 accepted quota in the campaign, he said.

Murrell pointed out that no high powered house-to-house canvass had been made in the annual membership drive for the Mother of Mercy organization, and he felt gratified that a good response had come to the appeal for funds. Most of the burden of membership line-up was left to the business institutions and industries of the community, and Murrell said cooperation from this group had been good.

With a desire to wind up the drive within the next several days, the drive chairman asked that any lists that had not been turned in, or any individuals who had not been contacted and desire to contribute, to make their reports at once. Individuals wishing to share in the annual campaign may mail their checks to Murrell and proper credit will be given the Hamlin community, he said.

### High School Carnival Rescheduled for May 6

High School Carnival which had originally been set for April 1 has been postponed until Friday, May 6, it has been announced this week by officials of the Student Council, sponsors for the event.

The carnival was postponed because of its conflicting with revival meetings now underway at the First Baptist and Central Avenue Baptist Churches. The delay should give participants more time to prepare their booths and stunts or the show, sponsors point out.

# Swimming Pool Expected To Be Started in Few Days

## DePriest School Students Win First At District Contest

For the fifth time in succession contestants from DePriest Colored School of Hamlin placed first and brought back the literary trophy for the district Inter-scholastic League meet, staged Saturday at Colorado City.

Participating in the events, and taking first places, were: Charles Edward Mitchell, senior, declaiming; William Henry Brown, junior declaiming; Vera Lee Haley, Vinita Mayfield, Joanne Logan and Clementine Turner, female quartet; Jesse Gilbert, Speedy Baldwin, D. C. Carr and James Arthur Laury, male quartet.

Second place winners were: One-act play, featuring Hattie Mae Anderson, Charles Edward Mitchell, Billy Ray Turner, Barbara Nell Johnson, Juanita Douglas, Janie Mae Brown, William Covington and Robert Lee Westling; Lewis Calvin Brown and Albert Douglas Jr., senior spelling; Vinita Mayfield, extemporaneous speaking; Hattie Anderson and Clementine Turner, debate.

Third place winners were: Juanita Bass and Eula Mae Davis, junior spelling; Johnnie Francis Jones and Birdie Lee Brown, sub-junior spelling.

The homemaking girls' group also placed first with their art exhibit.

This group of winners from the DePriest School will go to Prairie View in April to participate in the state meet.

### W. C. Emberton to Go To Church at Lamesa

William C. Emberton, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene for the past two and one-half years, has resigned his work here effective April 10, and has accepted a call to be minister of the Church of the Nazarene in Lamesa.

"We really appreciate the fine people of Hamlin, and have thoroughly enjoyed our labors here," declared Rev. Emberton. "Despite a unanimous vote to remain as minister here, we felt it God's will to accept the other work. The church and the people of Hamlin will always have a big place in our hearts."

### Two New Buildings Planned by Concerns

Two new business houses for the downtown area are scheduled for erection soon, it has been announced by present firm owners.

Eddie Jay will erect a new store building with drive-in and parking facilities for Piggy Wiggly. It is announced by Edgar Duncan, on the Jay property just south of Jay Implement Company.

A new uneral parlor will be erected for Hamlin Funeral Home by Tom Teague on his property at the rear of McDonald's department store, facing Southwest Avenue A.



STEERING COMMITTEE for the education program on stewardship and church attendance being conducted by the First Methodist Church is pictured above. Members are, reading from left to right (front row): Wesley Nail, chairman, Mrs. Holly Toler, John C. Bryant; (back row): S. D. Ferguson, Fred Smith, L. H. McBride and Pastor Darris L. Egger.

## Little Interest in Elections Evined

Two elections will feature the political scene in Hamlin during the coming week. But only nominal interest is being manifested in the two events, if a check-up by a Herald representative caught the pulse of the community.

In voting Saturday at the high school main vestibule two members of the board of trustees of the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District will be named. Polls will open at 8:00 a. m. and remain open until 6:00 o'clock p. m.

Presiding judge for the school trustee election will be H. L. Williams. All property tax paying residents of the 255-square mile school district are qualified to vote in the election.

Fred B. Moore Jr. and Noel (Duck) Weaver are seeking reelection to the board. Olin Amerison's name also is on the ticket.

### Spring Concert by DePriest Group to Be Presented April 15

Spring concert of the music department of DePriest Colored School will be presented Friday evening, April 15, at the Hamlin High School auditorium, it was announced this week by officials of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce, under whose auspices the program will be presented.

Under the direction of Noble Canida, the Choral Club of the school will be featured. Special numbers will be offered by a girls' quartet, a boys' quartet, girls' and boys' duets, extemporaneous speeches and other skits, according to E. S. Morgan, principal of the colored school.

## Midland Concern To Complete Pool For Use by May 30

Hamlin area youngsters and grown-ups will be swimming in their very own swimming pool on May 30 if plans made Wednesday afternoon by officials of the Hamlin Recreation Committee are carried out.

Terms for construction of the long-talked-about pool for Hamlin were agreed upon when the building committee met with J. H. Porter of Porter Construction Company of Midland Wednesday. Formal contract was due to be signed this week-end, according to Roy Dunlap, city engineer, who is chairman of the building group.

Basic cost of the pool will be \$15,115, which includes \$2,396 for the water filtering and pumping system. Not included in the contract are the sand, reinforcing steel, pipe and fittings, steel fence, sidewalks and bath houses.

Donations of quite a bit of this material was expected from interested parties, members of the committee point out.

Work on the pool is expected to get underway within three weeks, and completion date for the project is set for May 30.

Russell said that about \$15,000 to \$17,000 is in sight for the project that was originally proposed to cost \$20,000. Pledges to the project were continuing to trickle in, he reported.

Named as a committee to canvass bids and otherwise negotiate building plans were Roy Dunlap, city engineer, chairman; Delma Shelburne, Mrs. R. D. Moore and Jack Russell.

Hamlin Rotary Club joined the Lions Club and Veterans of Foreign Wars chapter in pledging \$300 to the project. Ten clubs and other civic organizations had been asked to make group pledges to the fund that were designed to raise about \$2,500.

Plan to further bolster the fund for the swimming pool was announced this week by Russell and publishers of The Herald. Commemorative subscriptions to Your Home Town Paper in a quick two-week drive are expected to raise from \$1,500 to \$2,000 for the fund. Classes at Hamlin High School will sponsor the subscription campaign, and the classes will share in the commissions.

Something over \$1,000 toward the goal remains to be raised yet, declares Jack Russell, chairman of the fund raising committee. He urged further work by members of the soliciting teams to secure this additional amount within the next several days.

### Hamlin High School Athletes to Take Part In District Track Meet

Athletes from Hamlin will participate next Wednesday afternoon, April 6, in the annual track and field meet for District 11, on the track field at McMurry College at Abilene, according to Coach Vernon Townsend.

Townsend will be director for the event, which will feature track and field teams from the four schools in the district—Colorado City, Hamlin, Rotan and Merkel. Colorado City, which has put some strong players on the field so far this season in area meets already conducted, is the heavy favorite in the events, which will get underway at 2:00 o'clock.

The three winners in each event at the district meet will go to the regional meet on April 23 at Brownwood, Townsend announces.

## Hamlin Area Club Boys Run Into Keen Competition at Abilene Stock Show

Hamlin area and Jones County club boys ran into some of the toughest competition they have ever encountered when they took their animals and birds to Abilene Sunday for exhibition in the annual Abilene Fat Stock Show. The show featured top stock from a wide Central West Texas area.

Closest thing to a championship in the show was taken by Douglas Ford, Hamlin FFA boy, who won a reserve championship with his fat barrow.

Other placings by Hamlin area boys included:

Poultry—Boyce Blankinship of Hamlin 4-H Club won tenth in pen of three capons; John Brinegar, Hamlin FFA, won eleventh in the same class; and Joy Burk, McCaulley FFA, took twelfth in the same section; George Huling, Hamlin FFA, won eleventh place in the heavyweight capons division.

Beef Calves—Boyce Blankinship, Hamlin 4-H, placed eleventh in the heavyweight drylot section; Ronny Parker, Hamlin FFA, took tenth, and Clifford Eoff, Hamlin FFA, placed fifteenth in the me-

dium weight dry lot section; Frances Hill, McCaulley 4-H, won fifth, Don Adair, Hamlin FFA, was seventh, and Corky Bond, Hamlin FFA, won fifteenth in the light drylot division.



Two new arrivals are reported at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald. A girl and a boy, they are:

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gruben arrived March 14 at 5:20 p. m. Weighing six pounds four ounces, the young man said it would be all right to call him Rickey Bon.

A girl for Mr. and Mrs. Calvia Embrey arrived March 24 at 9:30 a. m. After having her weight checked at seven pounds nine ounces, she was named Sharot Elaine.



MATADORA IN ACTION—The only U. S. woman bullfighter who places her own banderillos, Patricia Hayes here shows good form in the ring at Ciudad Acuna, Mexico. This is Miss Hayes' second year in the bull ring, and this fight was witnessed by Miss Hayes' father, J. H. Hayes of Pulaski, Tennessee, and San Angelo. Miss Hayes is from San Angelo.

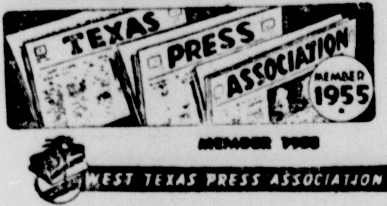


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## WE MUST HAVE ROADS FOR REGION AND TEXAS

Current highway construction activity in the Hamlin region, which has recently been carried out from Hanna to Tuxedo, from Tuxedo to Sagerton, from Boyd Chapel to Merkel and elsewhere has emphasized to people of the section the importance of good roadways. The highways are universally wanted and needed.

But it takes money—and lots of it—to keep the highway building machinery going. As pointed out recently at the Abilene Chamber of Commerce banquet, attended by several Hamlin citizens, Chairman E. H. Thornton Jr. of the Texas Highway Commission, millions of dollars are needed to keep our highways abreast of the needs.

Governor Allan Shivers in his message to the Legislature recently said that Texas must have much more money for highways. He urged an increase in motor fuel taxes for this purpose.

A bill immediately was introduced in the Legislature by Representative Charles Murphy of Houston and W. W. Glass of Jacksonville calling for a constitutional amendment which would dedicate all such new revenue to highway work. Later Murphy on his own introduced a bill calling for a two-cent increase in gasoline and a comparable increase

on LPG and diesel fuel. If a motor fuel tax is imposed it will be the first since 1929.

There have been other taxes on the automobile user, however, which have been both added and increased since that time. Unfortunately none of these taxes goes directly to his own benefit as the fuel tax does.

The Murphy-Glass amendment is strongly supported by the Texas Good Roads Association because it would dedicate all future motor fuel revenues to highway building. Little disagreement can be found with this principle, especially in view of the tremendous demands now being made upon our highway system. We do not have to look far to see where our road money is going. For the most part it goes directly under rubber to provide safer and more economical operation of our motor vehicles.

During the last two years the highways situation in our own county has become acute. We are using more automobiles and trucks in our daily living than we ever dreamed of even a half-dozen years ago. Our own business men have gone to Austin and were told by the highway commission that there isn't enough money to get the job done. Meantime our automobile population and our human population is continuing to grow.

## Emphasis on Quality

Marked increases in the per capita consumption of eggs over the past few years has been accompanied by an increase in demand for a quality product. As a result, there is a shortage of high quality eggs despite the surplus production which has so often kept the industry from time to time.

Some of the fault lies in the failure on the part of the egg producers to follow practices to maintain quality. Seven widely recommended practices have been suggested to increase the number of top grade eggs the producer has to market. These are:

Confining the laying flock is a time-tested practice of farm management known to result in greater production and more high quality eggs. It should be remembered that overcrowding in a poultry house is as bad a practice as permitting the hens to roam. A lower rate of production and a higher percentage of stained and dirty eggs are certain to result.

Providing clean dry floor litter and clean nesting material are two practices which help provide more A quality eggs. Many types of litter and nesting materials are available and most are inexpensive. Keeping them dry and clean reduces the chore of cleaning eggs.

Gathering eggs at least three times a day is a necessary practice in the production of top quality.

Collecting and cooling eggs in wire baskets permits free circulation of air to cool eggs rapidly before they are packed in cases and reduces the chance of quality deterioration.

Cooling eggs before packing, keeping them cool and maintaining proper humidity are practices which go hand in hand. Maintenance of relatively high humidity is extremely important. Where natural conditions are not satisfactory, other means should be used to increase the moisture in storage places.

Will Rogers, the practical philosopher, was once asked by a discouraged friend, "If you had but forty-eight hours to live, how would you spend them?" The indomitable cowpuncher replied, "One at a time."

If we are but fixed and resolute—bent on high and holy ends—we shall find means to them on every side and at every moment.—Tryon Edwards.

One of the illusions of life is that the present hour is not the critical, decisive hour. Write it on your heart that every day is the best day of the year.—Emerson.

## Live in Comfort, Be Happy

The names of towns and cities in the United States are as diverse as interests and purposes of the people who settled them. In an interesting article in The American Citizen is called to town names with religious connotations, some with romantic significance, and others with names of food, autos and military terms.

Some that reflect a religious nature are Faith (North Carolina), Hope (Kansas), and Charity (Missouri). Or, listen to one of the best known hymns—Onward (Indiana), Christian (West Virginia), Soldier (Iowa). Some indicate our forefathers' concern with social standards—Liberty (Pennsylvania), Equality (Alabama), Reform (Alabama), and Radical (Missouri). And then there are fanciful names like Sleepy Eye (Minnesota), Bushyhead (Oklahoma), Widemouth (West Virginia), Snowball (Arkansas), Water Proof (Louisiana), Wahoo (Nebraska), Loco (Oklahoma), Ono (Pennsylvania), Bent (New Mexico), Twist (Arkansas), Maybee (Michigan) and many others.

Romance has figured in town-naming all over the country. There is Dgirling (Mississippi), Heart (Arkansas), LaMoure (North Dakota), Lovely (Kentucky), Loveland (Iowa), Lovelady (Texas) and Spooner (Wisconsin). Every state in the union includes at least one locality which derives its title from a feminine name. Beatrice, Rose and Elsie are in Nebraska; Blanche and Catherine are in Alabama; while the home of Luella is in Georgia, Lucy is in Louisiana, and Pearl is in Illinois.

## Editorial of the Week

DRIVER TRAINING

Dad certainly should be convinced now that he's not the one to teach Junior how to drive the car. The action by insurance companies squelches his arguments.

The stock insurance firms belonging to a national rate-setting group, the National Bureau of Casualty Underwriters, have agreed to cut rates 10 per cent for drivers under 25 if these individuals have completed approved high school or college courses in driver education. A few companies previously had taken such action.

This rate action is based partly on research which shows that school-trained drivers are better risks than other youngsters. But the rate reduction also is made mostly in the hope that this will result in more schools offering driver education courses and more youngsters enrolling in the courses where they are being offered.—Des Moines Register.

## RECALLING Other Years

Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper The Herald

### TWENTY YEARS AGO

Among news events of interest in the Hamlin community 20 years ago were the following, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 29, 1935:

Five new producing oil wells recently brought in on the Pardue place, seven miles northwest of Hamlin, have given the place the nickname of the "Oil Well Ranch" according to oil operators.

Honor roll for Hamlin High School for the six-week period ending March 1 included these: Oleta King, freshman; Virginia Collins, Dorothy Morgan and J. B. Terrell Jr., sophomores; C. J. Adkins, Avalene Murphree and Betty Myrtle Routh, juniors; Elhelyn Allen, Marvin York, Lois Anderson, Leone Bowman, Rowena Davis and Sara Ellen Nicholson, seniors. Information from Austin is that Mrs. E. C. Brand, wife of state banking commissioner, formerly of Hamlin, has undergone a serious eye operation.

Final crop report for cotton production in Jones County for 1934 shows total was 23,513 bales. This led all other counties in this area, Runnels County being next with 22,201 bales.

Fred B. Moore is a candidate for reelection as city alderman at next Tuesday's city election, and B. L. Jones is a new candidate. Only two aldermen are to be named by city voters this year.

### TEN YEARS AGO.

Among news items of interest in the Hamlin community 10 years ago included the following, which are reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 30, 1945:

Cotton ginnings for Jones County for the 1944 crop have been released and show a total of 43,811 bales processed, compared with a total of 29,059 for 1943.

Mrs. L. L. Cowan has moved her cleaning and pressing establishment to the brick building on Southwest Third Street, across the street from the post office. Hamlin Schools will observe Monday, April 2, as a holiday by dismissing classes.

So far no one has filed his name as candidate for the two places made vacant on the City Council. The election will be held next Tuesday.

At the Ferguson Theater, Danny Kaye, Dinah Shore and Dana Andrews are featured in "Up in Arms."

Farmers of the area are busy preparing the land for another crop season. There is plenty of moisture in the ground.

Stanley Carmichael, one of Hamlin's Merchant Marine boys, is making "knobs" on the waves out of New York City.

### FIVE YEARS AGO.

The following items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago were reproduced from the issue of the Hamlin Herald dated April 1, 1949:

Sale of the Jay Hardware to Weldon Carlton was announced last week by Jay, who has owned the business more than three years.

A shower of rain gauging .35 of an inch was recorded Sunday. It brought year's rainfall total to 5.65 inches.

Clyde Huff of Hamlin was named district commander of Veterans of Foreign wars at a session held at Anson Sunday. The district is composed of 18 VFW posts.

A huge coyote was killed late Monday afternoon by three Hamlin men on the Robert Johnson place, six miles south of town as they were returning from a rabbit hunt. In the party were Rev. W. E. Nunn, Ed Branscum and John Johnson.

Max Murrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murrell of Hamlin, has been given an appointment to West Point Academy.

Gamille Hassen, student at McMurry College in Abilene, has a supporting role in a Shakespearean play, "Hamlet," scheduled for presentation soon.

### ONE YEAR AGO.

Among news items of interest in the community a year ago were the following, which are reproduced from the issue of the Hamlin Herald dated April 2, 1954:

A record city vote is prophesied this week in the campaign to make four new members to the City Council in balloting next Tuesday, according to a check-up.

The big new \$500,000 gas plant of the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company, seven miles northwest of Hamlin, is taking shape this week as work is progressing on the big processing plant.

Dairy judging team from the Hamlin chapter of Future Farmers of America won first place last year in area contests at Coleman. The team is composed

## Record Run of Sheep and Lambs Makes Prices Sag on Market at Fort Worth

A total of 24,306 sheep and lambs arrived for Monday's trade at Fort Worth, reports Ted Gould, special market reporter for the Herald, in his weekly release. He continues: The unexpectedly large offering was the biggest in a single day since May 22, 1950, when 25,100 were unloaded. Largest day prior to that was in May, 1948, when 37,807 were chalked up in one marketing day.

Most unusual aspect of the big run was that it came so early in the season. Big movement of Texas lambs usually happens in May and June. The big offering was about 75 per cent milk fat.

## Fund Raising Plan For Lions Club to Be Decided Upon

A committee to suggest means for the Lions Club to raise its pledge of \$300 to the community swimming pool fund was named by President W. T. Johnson when the civic group met Tuesday at noon at the oil mill guest house.

Named on the committee were Darris Egger, Delma Shelburne, Vernon Townsend, W. S. Seal, Jack Richey and W. C. Russell. The committee will report at the next meeting of the club, it was announced.

Program for the luncheon gathering was provided by Charles Mitchell, senior at DePriest Colored School, and Noble Canida, musical director at the school. Young Mitchell, in a rich baritone voice uncommon for youths of his age, sang "Answer Me, My Love," "This Ole House" and "A Little Love." Canida accompanied the youth, and then played and sang a number of his own, "Let Me Go, Lover."

Program committee for the month of April was announced as being composed of W. S. Seals and B. O. Bell.

Besides the entertainers, other guests at the Tuesday luncheon were J. D. Paylor of Clyde, former district governor; Joe Breed of Anson, Rev. Howard Kolb of Fort Worth, Rev. Houston Walker and Carl Murrell.

of Dawl Johnson, Clifford Eoff and Douglas Ford.

Small grains in the Hamlin area are suffering for lack of moisture, according to a check-up of several area growers.

lams of the new crop aimed at the Easter trade. Lambs processed the forepart of this week will be sold to Easter lamb buyers in the North and East next week. Trade opened 50 cents to \$1 lower on all sheep and lambs, and prices slid downward to \$1 and \$2 lower by the close. Choice lambs drew \$23 to \$25, and old fat lambs sold from \$20 down. Old wethers topped at \$14.

Trade on most classes of cattle and calves at Fort Worth Monday was active and fully steady to strong. The only class experiencing severe pressure was fed steers, yearlings and heifers. Fed cattle sold steady to weak, some of the plainer quality fat cattle unevenly lower.

Cows were active and fully steady. Bulls sold stronger. Cows ranged up to \$14 and a few bulls sold to \$14.50. Fed cattle sold mainly from \$23.50 down, though some fancy yearlings from McClurg Land & Cattle Company weighed up at \$25 on a previous sale.

Toppy fat calves sold from \$19 to \$21.50, and stocker & yearling calves and stocker steer yearlings sold from \$22 downward.

Opening trade on hogs at Fort Worth Monday saw a top of \$15 and \$18.25 established. This was 50 to 75 cents above the previous week's close. The less desirable butcher hogs sold from \$16.50 to \$18. Picking hogs had a strong market at \$13 to \$16.

## Two Hamlin Students At McMurry College Pledged to Social Unity

Faith Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson of Hamlin and Norman Ray Current, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore W. Current of McCaulley, have been invited to pledge a social club at McMurry College in Abilene, according to a news release to The Herald.

Miss Simpson has been invited to join Gamma Sigma, women's social club organized in 1936, and Current has been invited to pledge IHR, men's social club organized in 1932.

Purpose of McMurry's nine social clubs for men and women students, according to Vice President W. B. McDaniel, is to promote social and cultural growth among their members, and to boost fellowship and school spirit at the college.



## Visitor of Albany, Lymette Moore, Is Victim of Attack

Friendly visit of a brother and sister in Hamlin Tuesday morning ended in the sudden death of an Albany woman, Lymette Moore, 56.

Miss Moore, a resident of Albany since 1915, had driven to Hamlin to visit with her brother, Ned Moore, and family. While Mr. and Mrs. Moore were talking with their guest, Miss Moore suffered a heart attack and died a few minutes later.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the First Christian Church in Albany, with Rev. William J. Vaughn, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Albany Cemetery under the direction of Castleberry Funeral Home.

Miss Moore was born in Italy, Texas, February 5, 1899, and moved to Shackelford County with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Moore, in 1915.

Miss Moore is survived by her parents; three brothers, Joe D. and Jack Moore of Albany, and Ned Moore of Hamlin; three sisters, Mrs. A. S. Reaves of Houston, Mrs. I. A. Russell of Stamford and Mrs. Albert Porter of Albany.

## Hamlin Invited to Participate in Baseball League for This Area

Nine area towns have been invited to participate in an independent amateur baseball league for this summer's activities, according to O. O. Hollingsworth of Sweetwater, who is taking the lead in the movement.

"This will be a non-salaried, purely home talent project with each town's vicinity players only permitted and no professional players allowed," Hollingsworth declared.

Towns that have been invited to participate are Snyder, Lamesa, Colorado City, Hamlin, Winters, Ballinger, Sweetwater, Merkel and Bronte.

A number of these towns already have lighted baseball parks so that a schedule of games could be drawn up so that games could be played one night a week and on Sunday afternoon, Hollingsworth points out.

The Sweetwater man asks The Herald to urge anyone in Hamlin interested in promoting such a team and league to get in touch with him soon.

To my early knowledge of the Bible I owe the best part of my taste in literature, and the most precious, and on the whole, the one essential part of my education.—John Ruskin.

## Hamlin Girls to Vie in District Meet Events

Five girls will represent the commercial classes of Hamlin High School in district typing and shorthand contests that will be conducted Saturday at Merkel, according to Dora Mitchell, instructor of the group.

The local girls will compete again typing and shorthand students from Colorado City, Rotan and Merkel in the district meet. Typing entries are Joye Big-ham, Barbara Durham and June Hill. Shorthand entries are Carolyn Pace and Amanda Freeman.

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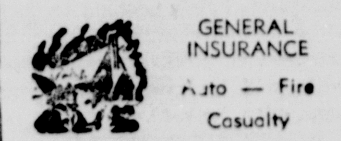
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## County Officials Tell of Functions at Rotary Club Meet

Functions of the various county offices were outlined by members of the Jones County official family when they were special guests at the Wednesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Rotary Club at the oil mill guest house.

In charge of the program was Tate May, who introduced the various officials. The visitors were: County Judge Pete Andrews, who gave as his principal functions the presiding over the administrative problems of the county; County Attorney Charles E. Brownfield, who said his major job was legal representation of the county; County Tax Assessor-Collector Ima B. Dougherty, who said that county tax valuations total \$27,586,368.85 for 1954, and who said tax collections for last year were over 94.6 percent; County Clerk Gene Spurgin, who records proceedings of the county court and Commissioners Court, and gave information about the photostat copying machine in his office;

Carl Savage, county auditor, reported that county auto registrations in Jones County total some \$115,000 per year; County Home Demonstration Agent Jimmie Lou Wainscott, reported that there are 15 Home Demonstration Clubs and 11 4-H Clubs in the county; County Treasurer D. M. White; Sheriff Dave Reeves; District Clerk Leon Thurman; County Superintendent Everett Beaver; and County Commissioner Johnnie Agnew.

Other guests at the Wednesday luncheon included R. E. Kuykendall and son, Robert G. H. E. Herricksen, Bill Blakeney and W. D. Manz of Abilene; George Beard of Sweetwater; J. W. Maddox and W. M. Blackburn of Stamford; Rev. Howard S. Kolb of Fort Worth.

## Methodist Pastor in Vacation School Role

Rev. Darris Egger, pastor of the First Methodist Church, was in Munday Tuesday evening, where he was teaching in a vacation church school institute for representatives from the Methodist churches of the Stamford District. He was accompanied by Rev. Roy Patterson, pastor of the Roby Methodist Church, who also was an instructor in the school.



**CHECK SIGNATURE CHECKED**—Senator Jimmy Phillips of Angleton (center) asks Timoto De Leon of Georgetown if the signature on the copy of the veterans' land refund check is his. Leon said that the signature was not his and that he had not seen the check before. At right Senator Crawford Martin looks on with interest. Leon was one of three Latin-Americans who testified before the Senate veterans' land committee in Austin.

## HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Gary Maberry, medical, March 20; Gerald Owens of Longworth, medical, March 22; Mrs. Grover Prewitt, medical, March 23; Mrs. Clyde Huff, medical, March 23; James Watson, surgery, March 23; J. W. Fancher of McCaulley, medical, March 23; J. T. Hindman, medical, March 24; Mrs. J. W. Stapler, medical, March 23; Mrs. Calvin Embrey, ob., March 24; R. W. Hugdon, medical, March 24; Bess Reynolds of Midland, medical, March 24; Jimmy Holmes, medical, March 24; Mrs. Jim Anderson, medical, March 24; Leroy Meador of Peacock, medical, March 25; Tom Campbell, medical, March 26; Mrs. Cliff Crowley, medical, March 25; H. L. Mehaffey of Anson, surgery, March 27; Mrs. W. E. Dunnam, medical, March 28; Richard Sutherland, medical, March 29; Patsy Meeks, medical, March 26; Mrs. Simon Rodriguez, medical, March 28.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. Edward Dodd, March 24; Don Rowland, March 26; John Gibbons,

March 17; Mrs. I. M. Roberts of Sylvester, March 23; Mrs. Bail Hill, March 22; Leroy Meador of Peacock, March 23; Timmy Ingram, March 20; Douglas Ford, March 21; W. F. Frazier of Aspermont, March 26; Dan Howard, March 21; Arlene Forbes of Sylvester, March 24; Sarah Snapp, March 24; Mrs. Pat O'Harrow, March 27; F. M. Chandler, surgery, March 23; Mrs. I. M. Roberts of Sylvester, March 23; Mrs. Ross Gruben of McCaulley, March 26; Mrs. Charles Toler of Roby, March 23; Mrs. Jesse Stanford, March 29; Mrs. H. E. Black, March 24; H. E. Black, March 24; Mrs. J. D. Meeks, March 28; Mrs. F. L. Bailey, March 26; Mrs. H. D. Lain, March 23; Judith Jenkins, March 25; Gary Mabry, March 21; Gerald Owens of Longworth, March 26; Mrs. Grover Prewitt, March 25; Mrs. Clyde Huff, March 26; James Watson, March 27; J. W. Fancher of McCaulley, March 24; Mrs. J. W. Stapler, March 28; Mrs. Calvin Embrey, March 27; Bess Reynolds of Midland, March 27; Leroy Meador of Peacock, March 28; Mrs. Cliff Crowley, March 28; H. L. Mehaffey of Anson, March 29.

## Final Rites for Mrs. O. R. Greenway, Held Wednesday

Final rites for Mrs. O. R. Greenway, 82-year-old long time resident of Fisher County, were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Hittson community Baptist Church, six miles west of Hamlin.

Mrs. Greenway died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Alvin Hill, in the Hittson community at 4:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. She had been ill for two months.

She was born Elizabeth Ellen Mathis in Georgia September 7, 1872. She was married to Mr. Greenway April 3, 1892. They moved to the Hittson community from Van Zandt County. Mr. Greenway died in 1952.

Officiating at the funeral was Rev. Elbert Galloway of Knott. Burial was in the Afton Cemetery under direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home of Rotan. Grandsons were pallbearers.

Survivors include seven daughters, Beulah Roberta Greenway of Grand Saline, Mrs. Charlie McManus of Terrell, Mrs. Fred Baker of Wills Point, Mrs. Otto Woodson and Mrs. H. E. Huddleston, both of Abilene, Mrs. Ruth McAden of Fort Worth and Mrs. Alvin Hill of Hamlin; six sons, Mitchell Greenway of Grand Saline, Dewey and John Greenway of Rotan, Link Greenway of Hamlin, Buster Greenway of Sweetwater, Jack Greenway of Midland; one brother, three sisters, 49 grandchildren and 36 great-grandchildren.

## Methodists Attend Bible School Course

Five representatives from the Hamlin First Methodist Church were scheduled to attend a vacation Bible school institute Thursday at Stamford. The institute was being conducted for area church workers preparatory to the holding of vacation Bible schools this summer.

Mrs. W. T. Johnson has been named director for the school in the local church.

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## LaFoy Patterson Takes Position Recently at F. & M. National Bank

LaFoy Patterson started to work with the Farmers & Merchants National Bank on March 15, and will serve as a general clerk and relief teller, officials of Hamlin's banking institution announced this week.

Banking is nothing new for Patterson, as during his high school days he worked with the old First State Bank of Hamlin, and after graduating worked with the bank at various times up until 1942, since which time he has been engaged in farming near Hamlin.

Patterson is married and has four daughters. He lives in the city of Hamlin. He and his family are active members of the First Baptist Church. Patterson is a director of the Hamlin Farmers Cooperative Gin, and for a number of years he has been on the board of trustees of the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District.

An intersection crash and a busted snout—is better to prevent than snout about.

## Cub Scouts to Have Display May 7 at Garden Club Show

Members of the Cub Scouts and their parents were advised that the Cub Scouts of the Hamlin community will have a display at the Garden Club's exhibit May 7, when the monthly meeting of the Cub Scouts and their parents was held last Thursday in the Primary School cafeteria.

The meeting was opened with the Cub Scouts repeating the Cub Scout promise. Each den presented a skit, and a number of the boys received their awards.

Starr Inzer resigned as Cubmaster, and the following officers were elected: Joe Stephens, Cubmaster; Othel Sipe, assistant Cubmaster; Eddie Jay, chairman of the committee; D. J. Turner, secretary-treasurer; Garland Preston, Albert Hill, Vernon Sharer, H. V. Kelly, Nelson Shave, Louis Fincannon, Ned Moore and Starr Inzer, committeemen.

The meeting was closed by the Cub Scouts giving the pledge to the flag.

## Brother of Hamlinite, Jess R. Wood Dies at Abilene on Tuesday

Jess R. Wood, 49-year-old mail-room foreman of the Abilene Reporter-News, and brother of Mrs. Marvin Rhoton of Hamlin, died Tuesday afternoon in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

He had entered the hospital at noon Tuesday suffering from a cerebral hemorrhage. He first became ill Saturday night.

Funeral services were conducted at 3:30 p. m. Thursday afternoon in the University Baptist Church. Rev. Sterling L. Price, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery under direction of Elliott Funeral Home.

Born March 6, 1906, at Merkel, he lived there and at Colorado City with his family until 1917. He had been an employee of the Abilene paper for 22 years.

Survivors are his wife; two sons, Raymond and Bobby, both at home; his mother, Mrs. Nancy Wood of Abilene; three sisters, Mrs. Harry Fragile of Anson, Mrs. Marvin Rhoton of Hamlin and Mrs. Tom Flannagan of San Antonio; and one brother, Lee Wood of Fort Worth.

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## CLEAN-UP DRIVE

(concluded from page one) houses will be asked to close for the two-hour period in order to permit students and employers and employees to work at the task of beautifying the community.

Further details of the cleanup will be announced within the next several days. Nail says

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# The Herald's Page for Women



## Style Show Sponsored by Beta Theta Sorority Raises \$225 in Tabulation

Final receipts of the style show recently staged by the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi were reported at \$225 when members of the group met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Toby Williams for a regular meeting.

Mrs. S. C. Ferguson Jr. conducted the business session. Mrs. Vernon Townsend of the social committee expressed thanks to all those who helped with the refreshments for the style show. A vote of thanks from the club was given Mrs. W. F. Martin and Mrs. Bill Feagan for their work on the style show. Mrs. Hawkins made the style show financial report. Mrs. George Poe reported on the swimming pool project.

Mrs. Weldon Carlton gave the report of the nominating committee for officers for next year. They are: Mrs. Gerald Young, president; Mrs. Brad Rowland Jr., vice president; Mrs. Arlie Cassle, recording secretary; Mrs. Vernon Townsend, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Earl Smith, reporter;

Mrs. Ed Boaz, treasurer; Mrs. W. F. Martin, parliamentarian. These officers were elected by acclamation. Mrs. C. Weldon Griggs was named sponsor, and Mrs. Austin Poe was elected director.

Sandwiches, cold drinks and potato chips were served to these members: Mmes. George Poe, Vernon Townsend, Jim Ballard, Brad Rowland Jr., W. T. Johnson, Gertrude Young, S. C. Ferguson Jr., Cliff Reynolds Jr., E. J. Hawkins, Ed D. Perrin, Arlie Cassle, W. F. Martin, Johnny Brvant, M. J. Smith, Bill Feagan, C. W. Griggs, Weldon Carlton, and Pat Maberry.

Next meeting of the sorority will be in the home of Mrs. Gerald Young.

## Firemen's Auxiliary Pledges \$50 to Hamlin Swimming Pool Fund

Pledge of \$50 to the community swimming pool fund was subscribed by members of the Firemen's Auxiliary when the group met last Thursday evening at the fire station in a "come-as-you-are" party.

Hostesses were Genell Buchanan, Ruth Josey and Earlene Edwards. Games were enjoyed by the attendants. Secret pals for the first three months were revealed at the session.

Cookies and cold drinks were served to the following attendants: Nell McGuire, Lillie Mae White, Louise Jones, LaVerne Branscum, Jane Murphree, Helen Thompson, Lennie Cochran, Lillie Branscum, Ruth Josey, Gene'l Buchanan and Earlene Edwards, members; and one visitor, Mrs. T. B. Bell of New London, mother of Mrs. Buchanan.

## County 4-H Girls to Attend District Events

Jones County 4-H Club girls will participate Saturday in District III 4-H Club events, which will be staged at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls.

Team and individual demonstrations, judging teams, share-the-fun, and public speaking contests will be held at this time. Contestants at this event will be representatives of the 22 counties in this district.

Jones County girls' 4-H Club contestants are: Beth Adkins, public speaking; Karen Irvin and Nancy Hunter, dairy foods team demonstration; Pat Stuart and Melba Ueckert, vegetable team demonstration.

**VISIT RELATIVES.** Mrs. W. S. Graham and Mrs. C. M. Abbott visited last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Graham and children at Wichita Falls.

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## Reunion Dinner for Fomby Children Held In Waggoner Home

Home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waggoner was the scene last week of a reunion and dinner for the family of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fomby.

Attending the affair were Mrs. A. Holmberg, Mrs. Fomby's sister, and Mrs. Fomby's niece, Mrs. Charlie Hart, and Mary Ann attended from Dumont. Major General W. O. Senter and Sue Ellen of Tinker Field, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Rowell, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Carmen and Dorothy Ellen of Anson; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fomby and Sarah Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Waggoner and Mrs. Ross Fomby, all of Hamlin, were attendants at the reunion.

## Reba Roland Named Hamlin FHA President At Tuesday Meeting

Reba Roland was elected president of the Future Homemakers of America chapter at Hamlin High School for 1955-56 Tuesday evening at a special meeting of the girls in the high school auditorium.

Other officers elected at the time were: Elizabeth Norton, vice president; Janis Crowley, secretary-treasurer; Ann Cochran, historian; Jean Powell, parliamentarian; Judy Harden, reporter; Merle Bryant, sergeant-at-arms; Betty Gray, song leader; and Joyce Bigham, pianist.

Several girls were awarded Junior Homemaker degrees in the Hamlin chapter. They were Jean Powell, Cecelia Albritton, Georgia McDaniel and Sara Kay Fomby.

The chapter elected four girls to go to the state FHA meeting at Galveston on April 19 to 21. They were Ann Cochran, Elizabeth Norton, Reba Roland and Jean Powell.

The chapter will sponsor a cake sale Saturday morning beginning at 10:00 o'clock.

## DePriest School P-TA Presents Style Show In Auditorium Friday

Members of the Parent-Teacher Association of the DePriest Colored School presented a style show at the school Friday evening, which was well attended.

Women modeling in the review were Mmes. L. E. Breddlove, Evelina Butler, Stella Mason, Mary Lewis, Isa Norman, Hester Mae Johnson, Jo Ella Miller, Lillian Paige, Ethel Fay Ford, Lillian Tatum. Little Joyce Lewis, Dorothy Dean Butler and Charles McPherson modeled children's clothes. Men who styled were Arizona Paige, Emanuel Fuller and Fred Thompson.

After the style review, the group was entertained with a short program. Mmes. Lillie B. Paige, Mary Lewis, L. E. Breddlove and Evelina Butler, and with Charles E. Mitchell doing the solo, gave a unique version of "This Old House." Evelina Butler sang "When I Grow Too Old to Dream," and Mrs. W. C. Butler climaxed the program by singing "Teach Me Tonight."

The Parent-Teacher Association hopes to make this event an annual one, officials of the organization said.

## VISITS IN ABILENE.

J. E. Patterson spent the week-end in Abilene with his son and family. He attended the Barber Shop Quartet show Saturday night, which a number of other Hamlin area people witnessed.

## GREENS VISIT AT AUSTIN.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Green spent from Saturday through Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John F. Green Jr. and Johnny at Austin. They also attended a car dealers' meeting in the capitol city.



Moody (above) is Texas' Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow. She will compete with 47 other state winners for the national award to be announced April 21 in Philadelphia. Amanda Freeman was Hamlin's Homemaker of Tomorrow in the preliminary events.

## Moody Girl Named Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for Texas

Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow is Marlene Comer of Moody.

Marlene, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Comer, who have one other daughter, Gail, 14, received the highest score of the 435 school winners throughout the state. A total of 8,250 Texas senior high school girls participated in the examination which was given January 12.

Amanda Freeman was the Hamlin Future Homemaker of Tomorrow at Hamlin High School.

Marlene will compete with 47 other state winners for the Betty Crocker All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow title. By winning the Texas pin, she receives a \$1,500 scholarship and an expense-paid trip for herself and her school advisor to Washington.

## Ojeda Wallace Named President of VFW

Ojeda Wallace was elected president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Hamlin post of Veterans of Foreign Wars when the group met last Thursday in regular business session. Zelma Perryman, president, presided.

Others officers named included: Valeria Hudson, senior vice president; Wanda Neal, junior vice president; Inell Huff, treasurer; Jessie Mae Dillard, chaplain; Zelma Perryman, conductress; Pearl Miller, guard; Edith Eley, secretary; Ava Hudson, first year trustee; Cricket Fomby, second year trustee; Beatrice Huling, third year trustee.

Next meeting of the group will be a special gathering on Thursday evening, April 17, when the new officers will be installed, it has been announced.

## Neinda 4-H Girls to Represent County at District Competition

Pat Stuart and Melba Ueckert, members of the Neinda 4-H Club, were declared winners in the county elimination contests to name vegetable demonstrators. The elimination contest was held in the office of Jimmie Lou Wainwright, county home demonstration agent.

The contests were judged by Mrs. L. B. McFarland, Anson homemaker teacher, and Mrs. Bill Glesner, Bluebonnet Home Demonstration Club member.

Alternates were Ann and Myrna Patterson, members of the Noodle 4-H Club.

Their demonstration was on "Buying Canned Vegetables." They stressed information found on labels and how this information can be used. They also prepared creamed English peas.

Nancy Irvin and Karen Irvin of the Noodle 4-H Club gave their demonstration on "Milk Is Magic." They will be Jones County's entrants in the district 4-H contest at Wichita Falls on April 2. Pat and Melba also will compete in the district contests at that time.

## GRIFFINS ON VISIT.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griffin returned Sunday from a several-day visit with their son, J. W. Griffin Jr., and family at Hewett, near Waco.

## DePriest Homemakers Set Style Show April 7

Members of the homemaker department at DePriest Colored School will present their annual style show next Thursday evening, April 7, according to Mrs. E. F. Ford, instructor.

The girls will model the garments they have made during the past semester. There will be girls from other area schools who will participate.

Small admission charges of 10 and 20 cents will be made to defray expenses of the show.

A short program will climax the style show, Mrs. Ford states. Refreshments will be served to attendees.

## Bluebonnet 4-H Club Girls Study Sewing

A lesson on sewing was the featured part of the program when members of the Bluebonnet 4-H Club met this week. Joyce Smith called the meeting to order.

Linda Bingham directed the girls in a game. Elsie Walker called the roll and read the minutes.

Members present were Joyce Bingham, Charlotte Burleson, Elsie Walker, Linda Bingham, Joyce Smith, Sandra Smith, Mary Smith, Pat Green, George Ann Black and Darlene Josey.

Next meeting of the Bluebonnet will be April 11.

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Sliced Pineapple Libby	No. 2 Can	32¢	
Crushed Pineapple Libby	No. 2 Can	29¢	
Sliced Peaches Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	33¢	
Unpeeled Apricots Libby	No. 2 Can	27¢	
Bartlett Pears Libby	No. 2 Can	29¢	
Royal Anne Cherries Libby	No. 2 Can	33¢	
Deluxe Plums Libby	No. 2 Can	23¢	
Fruit Cocktail Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	39¢	
Fruit Salad Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	53¢	
Pineapple Juice Libby	No. 2 Can	16¢	
Pineapple Juice Libby	4-Lb. Can	29¢	
Pear Nectar Libby	2 1/2-Lb. Can	15¢	
Treet Armour	12-Oz. Can	41¢	
Corned Beef Armour	12-Oz. Can	53¢	

Fruit Cocktail	Hostess Delight	No. 2 1/2 Can	33¢
Grape Juice	Welch	24-Oz. Bot.	35¢
Tomatoes	Gardenside	303 Can	10¢
Cherub Milk	Evaporated	2 Tall Cans	19¢
Baby Food	Str'd. fruits and vegetables, Gerber's	4 4 1/2-Oz. Cans	25¢
Vienna Sausage	Lit' Rebel	3 1/2-Oz. Can	10¢
Pure Cane Sugar		10-Lb. Pkg.	85¢
Shortening	Royal Satin	3-Lb. Can	61¢
Spry Shortening		3-Lb. Can	79¢
Salad Dressing	Duchess	32-Oz. Jar	29¢

Low shelf prices!			
Corn	Whole Kernel, Relais Frozen	10-Oz. Pkg.	17¢
Strawberries	Premium quality, Relais Frozen	10-Oz. Pkg.	17¢
Orange Juice	Premium quality, Relais Frozen	2 4-Oz. Cans	27¢
Lemonade	Premium quality, Relais Frozen	2 4-Oz. Cans	31¢
White Bread	Regular sliced, Mrs. Wright's	24-Oz. Loaf	37¢
Lenten suggestions!			
Ocean Perch	Captain's Choice	14-Oz. Pkg.	45¢
Cod Fillets	Captain's Choice	14-Oz. Pkg.	39¢
Haddock Fillets	Captain's Choice	14-Oz. Pkg.	47¢
Catfish Fillets	Tantalizing flavor	14-Oz. Pkg.	52¢
Red Salmon	Steaks, Captain's Choice	14-Oz. Pkg.	75¢
Flounder Fillets	Captain's Choice	12-Oz. Pkg.	59¢
Medium Shrimp	Pre-cooked, Captain's Choice	10-Oz. Pkg.	55¢
Whiting	Captain's Choice	10-Oz. Pkg.	29¢
Fish Sticks	Captain's Choice	10-Oz. Pkg.	43¢
Breaded Shrimp	Individually packaged, Captain's Choice	10-Oz. Pkg.	59¢
Deviled Crabs	Flavoro	4-Oz. Pkg.	27¢

LaChoy Products			
Meatless Chop Suey LaChoy	303 Can	41¢	
Chicken Chop Suey LaChoy	303 Can	73¢	
Beef Chop Suey LaChoy	303 Can	57¢	
Soy Sauce LaChoy	8-Oz. Bot.	12¢	
Brown Gravy Sauce LaChoy	8-Oz. Bot.	21¢	
Chinese Dinner LaChoy	303 Can	59¢	
Beef Chow Mein LaChoy	303 Can	81¢	
Chow Mein Noodles LaChoy	303 Can	20¢	
Bamboo Shoots LaChoy	8-Oz. Ctn.	45¢	
Water Chestnuts LaChoy	8-Oz. Ctn.	46¢	
Chop Suey Vegetables LaChoy	303 Can	29¢	
Bean Sprouts LaChoy	303 Can	18¢	
Snowdrift Shortening	77¢		
White Label Tuna Chicken of the Sea	No. 1/2 Can	41¢	



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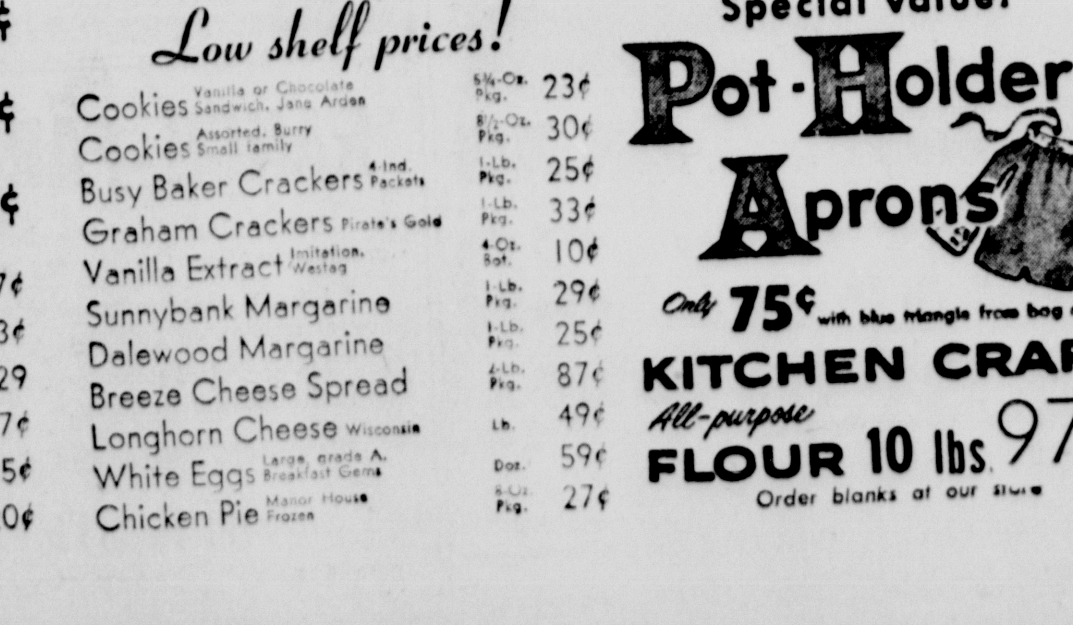
Health & beauty aids!			
Tooth Paste	Gleem	4 1/2-Oz. Tube	45¢
Shaving Soap	Rapid Lather Palmolive	4 1/2-Oz. Ctn.	69¢
Lotion	Milds Honey & Almond	4 1/2-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Cleansing Lotion	Deep Magic	2 1/2-Oz. Bot.	68¢
Milk of Magnesia	Phillips	4-Oz. Bot.	23¢
Aspirin Tablets	St. Joseph	100-Cnt. Bot.	39¢
Antiseptic a.s.		14-Oz. Bot.	25¢
For Easter Egg Hunts!			
Paas Easter Egg Dye		Small Kit	15¢
		Large Kit	39¢

Low shelf prices!			
Airway Coffee	Contains Brazil's finest	1-Lb. Pkg.	79¢
Nob Hill Coffee	Extra rich	1-Lb. Pkg.	83¢
Edwards Coffee	Top quality	1-Lb. Can	93¢
Instant Coffee	Edwards	2-Oz. Jar	57¢
Canterbury Tea	Orange Pekoe	1/2-Lb. Pkg.	32¢
Jelly Easter Eggs	Knoxbury	1-Lb. Pkg.	25¢
Jelly Easter Eggs	Sparkled, Knoxbury	1-Lb. Pkg.	25¢
Marshmallow Eggs	Knoxbury	1-Lb. Pkg.	29¢
Marshmallow Eggs	Knoxbury	20-Oz. Pkg.	53¢
Choc. Cream Eggs	Knoxbury	8-Oz. Pkg.	29¢

Spring BARGAINS in MEATS			
Veal Cutlets		lb.	99¢
Ground Beef	Economy. Ground fresh daily at Safeway.	lb.	29¢
Swiss Steak	or Round. U.S. gov't.-graded calf.	lb.	79¢
Chuck Roast	U.S. gov't.-graded calf.	lb.	43¢
Pork Sausage	Pure. Wingate	1-Lb. Roll	29¢
Bacon Squares	Smoked	lb.	29¢
Smoked Picnics	8 to 10 Lb. Avg. Sold whole only.	lb.	29¢
Pikes Peak Roast	Gov't. graded calf	65c	
Sirloin Steak	Gov't. graded calf	69c	
Shortribs	or Brisket. U.S. gov't. graded calf.	25¢	
Sirloin Steak	U.S. gov't.-graded	69¢	
Pork Roast	Loin-end.	53c	
Pork Chops	Center-cut.	69c	
Sliced Bacon	Cello-pack. Capital.	1-Lb. Pkg.	47¢
Dry Salt Bacon	Center cuts.	lb.	33¢
Canned Picnics	4 1/2-Lb. Avg. Vacuum Canned	8c	
Luncheon Meat	Spiced	8-Oz. Pkg.	27¢
Pickle-Pimiento	or Olive Leaf	8-Oz. Pkg.	25¢
Large Bologna	Sliced	8-Oz. Pkg.	20¢

Spring BARGAINS in PRODUCE			
Sunkist Oranges	Navel. Size 220	2 Lbs.	25¢
Grapefruit	Florida. Marsh seedless	lb.	8¢
Fine Avocados	from California	2 For	27¢
White Onions	from Texas	2 Lbs.	27¢
New Potatoes	from Florida	2 Lbs.	17¢
Green Beans	Kentucky Wonders	lb.	19¢
Green Onions	Fresh Mild	2 Bunches	15¢
Pascal Celery	Cello-packed	lb.	25¢
Try this MIX! Choc Drink			
with the milk already in it			
Delicious—hot or cold			
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More fresh produce!			
Red Apples	1 1/2" & smaller	lb.	23¢
Lemons	Size 360	lb.	17¢
Anjou Pears	Juicy and sweet	lb.	19¢
Fla. Corn ears	well-filled	2 ear	23¢
Tomatoes	Firm & flavorful	ctn.	25¢

Helene Curtis Products			
Lanolin Lotion	Helene Curtis	4-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Egg Shampoo	Helene Curtis	4-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Cream Rinse	Helene Curtis	4-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Spray Net	Helene Curtis (Tax incl.)	4 1/2-Oz. Bot.	1.38
Suave	Helene Curtis (Tax incl.)	1 1/2-Oz. Bot.	49¢
Red Kero Syrup		1 1/2-Lb. Bot.	25¢
Deodorant Florient Aerosol, Colgate		5 1/2-Oz. Ctn.	69¢



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## Area Boy Scouts, Cubs and Explorers to Participate in Exposition for District

Hamlin area Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts and Explorers will participate in the greatest Scouting show of the year, which will be held at the Stamford city auditorium on Saturday, April 23, according to

Ray Davis, field executive for the Northern District of the Chisholm Trail Council.

Doors will open at 3:00 p. m. that Saturday and close at 8:30 p. m. The public is invited to attend.

## Funeral Rites for Mrs. R. L. Norris Held at Sylvester

Final rites for Mrs. R. L. Norris, 67-year-old housewife of the Sylvester community, were conducted Monday afternoon at the Sylvester Methodist Church. Officiating were Clifford Danny of Abilene, Rev. Delton Fisher, Methodist minister at Sylvester, and E. H. Phillips.

Mrs. Norris died early Sunday morning in the Callan Hospital at Rotan after an illness of a little more than a week.

Born April 1, 1887, in Free-stone County, she was married November 11, 1906, at her home in the Shilo community.

Burial was in the Newman Cemetery under direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Med McCain, Ross Gruben, R. T. Boyd, Albert Maberry, Lee Brewer, Armond Emith, Paul Stevens and Stanley Jackson.

Surviving Mrs. Norris are two sons, Bill Norris of Oceanside, California, and John Lee Norris of Mathis; two daughters, Mrs. W. T. Lawlis of Sylvester and Mrs. Ruth Botts of Austin; a brother, Otha Reeves of Mexico; a sister, Mrs. Alma Hughes of Fairfield; and eight grandchildren.

A Scouting exposition is a series of booth demonstrations by Cubs, Scouts and Explorers, showing the advancement program of Scouting. It is the handbooks laid open for all to see the exciting contents. It is the units' opportunity to show mother, dad, neighbor, friends and the public at large what Cub Scouts and Explorers can do.

You may buy tickets from any Cub, Scout or Explorer in your community. This show involves all boys in Shackelford, Jones and Haskell Counties. The sale of Scouting exposition tickets offers the units an opportunity to raise funds for their treasury, gives the boys business training in handling money, and the opportunity to meet and talk with strangers, which is a valuable experience for the boys.

This great show of Scouting gives the people of our community an opportunity to see why Scouting is great.

Each unit leader of the area is to notify Gene Prewitt, camping and activities chairman, at Hamlin, as to what merit badge or Cub hobby craft the unit plans to exhibit. Selection should be made soon.

About 25 eight-by-ten-foot exhibition booths will be built in the Stamford auditorium by the Stamford Jaycees, Chamber of Commerce, Rotary and Exchange Clubs.

## Still Lighter Quota Set for April Calls For Only 432 Men

Draft quota for April reflects a continued decline, according to a release to The Herald. Likewise, only six or eight men will probably be called by the Anson draft board, which serves Shackelford, Haskell and Jones Counties.

State draft quota for April is 432 men for the Army, Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state selective service director, said.

This is the Texas share of a national quota of 8,000 men.

The April quota of 432 compares with a March quota of 584 and a February quota of 597.

There will be no men called up for pre-induction mental and physical examinations in April, General Wakefield said. With calls no higher than they are, he said he doubted if any examinations would be held before June or July.

With the exception of volunteers, the April call will be filled only with volunteers who on April 1 are at least 20 years and one month of age.

The average age of men now being inducted in Texas is past 21. Draft board quotas are being filled to a great extent with volunteers, General Wakefield said, and many of these volunteers are under the age of 20.

Additional payments of state aid were received by the Hamlin Schools this week, according to Superintendent I. R. Huchingson.

Received in payments this week were checks for \$7,340, representing a \$6 per capita payment of \$6,414 and a salary and operations payment of \$4,926. These payments were made on the basis of 1,079 students in the school.

The \$6 payment on per capita received this week makes a total payment of \$39 for the year on a \$69-per-student apportionment for the year. Still due the Hamlin schools for the year are \$27,141.40 on the per capita, \$13,786 on the salary and operations (Gilmer-Aikin) and \$7,207 on the transportation, Huchingson said.

Singing will get underway at 8:00 o'clock, to which the public is invited. Refreshments will be served to attendants at the close of the get-together.

Egger Attends Two Town-Country Meets

Rev. Darris Egger, pastor of the First Methodist Church, last week attended two sessions of the Town and Country Commission of the Northwest Texas Conference of Methodist Churches. He is secretary of the section for the conference.

Egger was in Dallas last Tuesday and in Plainview Thursday for meetings of the commission.

Bunkley Test Drilling Below 3,400 Feet

Wildcat of the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation of Abilene, the No. 1 Burl G. Bunkley test was drilling below 3,400 feet this week in lime. Located on the J. Rodriguez Survey 357, it is located six miles south of Hamlin. It has a proposed depth of 3,900 feet.

No. 1 Bunkley was drillstem tested from 2,722 to 2,732 feet with the tool open for 32 minutes. There was a weak blow for 24 minutes before it died. Recovery was 20 feet of slightly gas-cut mud.

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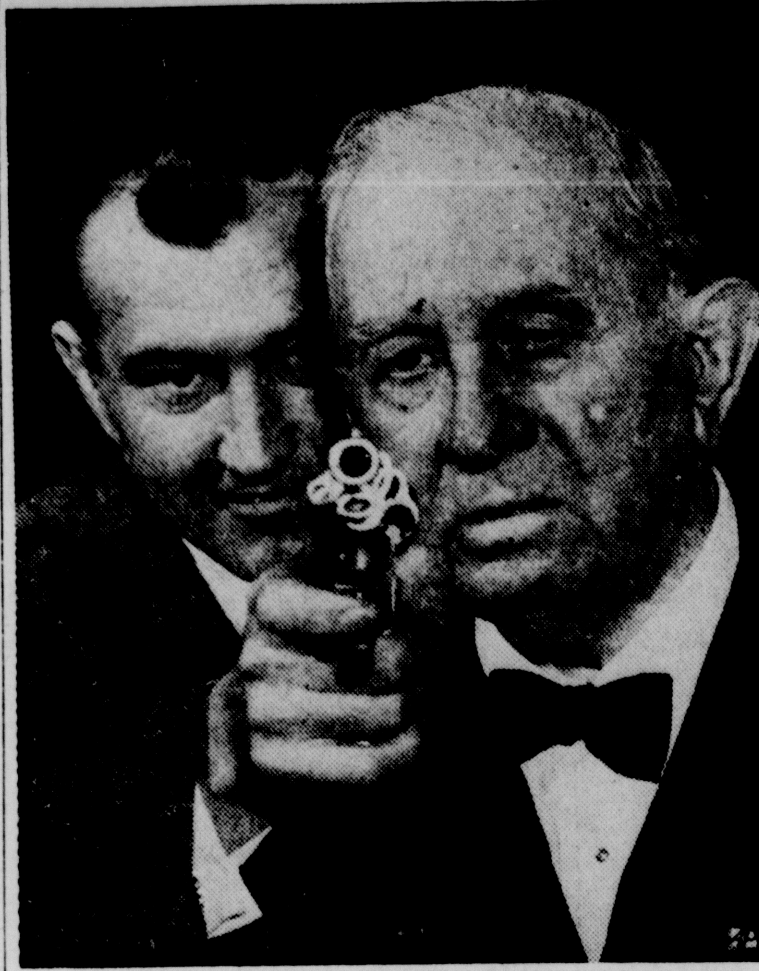
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**GUN TOTIN' TEXAN**—Tom Connolly, a Texas tradition and long-time senator from the Lone Star State, looks along the barrel of a "Texas shootin' iron" as Representative J. C. Rutherford of Texas shows off the gun in Washington during a visit in his office. Rutherford, freshman congressman from Odessa, played host to Connolly as the former senator revisited the capital scene.

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## Junior Class Sponsors Red Fox Unit April 5

Red Fox and the Fox 4-7 entertainers have been secured by the junior class at Hamlin High School for a program next Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the high school auditorium, officials of the class announce. Admission of 25 and 50 cents will be charged for the family entertainment.

Little Dee Don and Dean Beard will be two of the special singers. Tickets are available from any member of the junior class.

## Street Paving Moves At Slow Pace in City

Street paving work in Hamlin was continuing this week at a slower pace, but prospects were bright that many more blocks of work will be completed before the contract of C. & C. Paving Company, contractors for the project expires, reported Roy Dunlap, city engineer.

Part of the equipment of the concern was moved to Bronte over the week-end, where they have a 120-block contract project.

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## Traffic Laws Were Made for Safety of Everybody, Traffic Official Points Out

Have you ever chuckled at the fellow who cheats at solitaire?

If you have, you'll probably be interested in the views expressed by R. B. Roaper, president of the Texas Safety Association, as he discusses the know and obey traffic laws program which the Texas Safety Association and the Texas Department of Public Safety is conducting in cooperation with the National Safety Council.

Roaper says, "Many of us duplicate the chiseling solitaire player's tactics when we drive in traffic—sneaking through a stop light, driving a few miles over the speed limit or otherwise disobeying the traffic laws."

"Traffic laws are made for our protection and we're obviously cheating ourselves when we dis-

obey them," Roaper said. "And what's more, our irresponsible conduct also exposes everyone else on the road to danger."

Those of us who excuse our recklessness by saying we only disregard traffic laws when it's safe to do so come in for a special word of advice.

"We're just kidding ourselves when we come up with that alibi," Roaper said. "It's never safe to disobey traffic laws."

He explained that traffic laws are made after careful studies by traffic engineers and enforcement people, and that there's expert thinking behind the placement of traffic signs and signals.

"Here's an example," Roaper said: "You may be driving along a residential street, and because there is no traffic at the moment, you may think it isn't necessary to stay within the posted limit of 20 miles per hour. Suddenly a little girl bounds out in front of your car. Her life depends on how fast you can stop. You didn't know it, but there are many youngsters living in the neighborhood and the people who set the speed limit were providing for just such an emergency as this."

Roaper urged Texas drivers not to cheat themselves by disobeying the law.

"It may be fun to fool yourself at solitaire," he said, "but it can be just plain fatal to fool yourself in traffic."

## Hamlin High Tennis Players Go to Meet

Tennis players from Hamlin High School will participate Saturday in the district tennis tournament at Merkel. Entries in both the boys' and girls' divisions of doubles and singles have been placed.

Ted Wright and Bill Everton will enter the boys' doubles section, and Don Adair will be the boys' singles representative. In the girls' doubles Carolyn Barnett and Lavada Teichelman will play, and Lusara Dean will be the girls' singles player.

True wisdom is to know what is best, to know what is best, and to do what is best worth doing.—Edward P. Humphrey.

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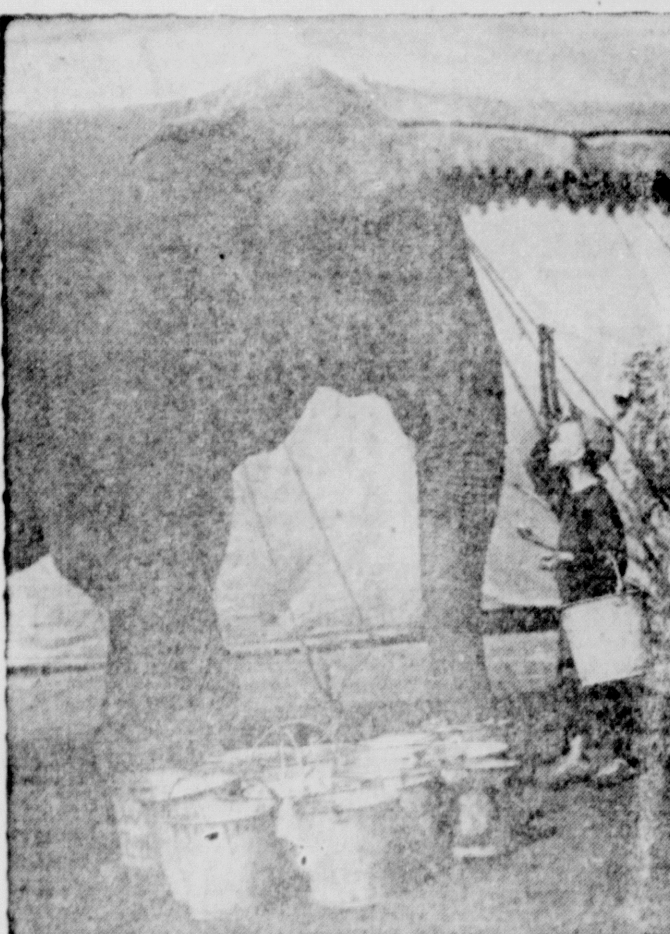
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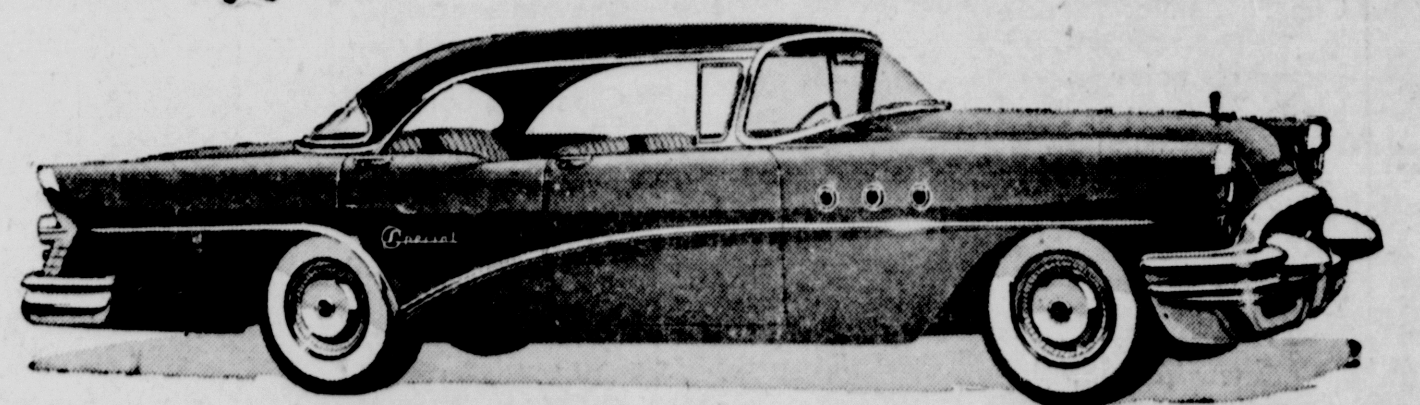
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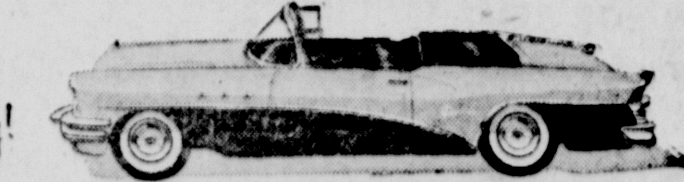
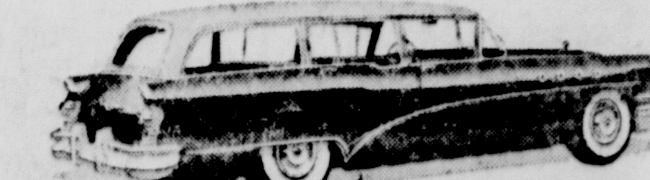
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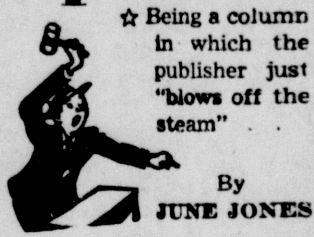
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★ Being a column in which the publisher just "blows off the steam"

By JUNE JONES

JOHN C. TURNER, who has called Hamlin his home for over 40 years, reminded us the other day that he had had the same post office box, No. 215, for 44 years.

"When I first came to this country I was assigned that number for my mail when the post office was located back of the present Safeway store site. Many years later it was moved to the place now occupied by Hamlin Flower Shop, and I kept the same box number. Then again three years ago when the post office was moved to its present site, I kept the same box for my mail." The elder insurance man said he had been a constant subscriber to The Dallas Morning News all during that period.

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THERE'S A LOT of sage advice in those cute little rhymes released recently by the traffic safety division of the Texas Highway Department emphasizing the principles of safe driving. Here's one:

Check your speed  
For the kids, I plead!

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TEN COMMANDMENTS of good will would be a good resolve for all of us. We picked these up from an exchange coming to our desk:

1. I will respect all men and women regardless of race and religion.
2. I will protect and defend my neighbor against the ravages of racial and religious bigotry.
3. I will exemplify in my own life the spirit of good-will and understanding.
4. I will challenge the philosophy of racial superiority by whomsoever it may be proclaimed, whether they be kings, dictators or demagogues.
5. I will not be misled by the false propaganda of those who would set race against race, nation against nation.
6. I will refuse to support any organization that has for its purpose the spreading of anti-Semitism, anti-Catholicism or anti-Protestantism.
7. I will establish comradeship with those who seek to exalt the spirit of love and friendship in the world.
8. I will attribute to those who differ from me the same degree of sincerity that I claim for myself.
9. I will uphold the civil rights and religious liberties of all citizens, whether I agree with them or not.
10. I will do more than live and let live—I will live and help live.

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A HAMLIN GIRL working in an office had some of her friends worried for some time about whether or not she was going to remain a bachelor girl.

Finally one morning she came into her office and began passing out cigars to the men and candy to the girls. Somewhat puzzled, her co-workers asked what the occasion was. Proudly she displayed a solitaire on her left hand and announced:

"It's a boy—six feet tall and 185 pounds."

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A PATIENT from Aspermont who was spending a few days in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital taking treatments was quizzed one morning by a nurse:

"Did you drink the three pitchers of water and stay in bed like I told you?"

"Well," declared the patient, "I managed to carry out part of your instructions: I drank the three pitchers of water!"

Simultaneous revivals scheduled at Neida, McCaulley and Golan

Simultaneous revival meetings are slated next week-end at all three Methodist Churches in the McCaulley circuit, according to Rev. Gene Louder, pastor.



ANOTHER IN THE SERIES of Mystery Farm Pictures being run by The Herald is shown above. First person, other than the owner and his family, to correctly identify the view will be given a one-year subscription to Your Home Town Paper. In order to give readers of the paper living on the rural routes an equal chance at the identifying, no answers will be accepted before 1:00 p. m. Friday, either in person or telephoning to the paper office. The original aerial picture will be presented to the owner by The Herald.

## City-Wide Clean-Up Drive to Be Staged Week of April 18

### Business Houses And School Will Close Two Hours

Annual Clean-Up Week in Hamlin, which is destined to be one of the most thorough in the history of the community, has been set for April 18 through 23.

The date was set at a meeting of the health and sanitation committee of the Chamber of Commerce, held Tuesday morning in CC offices. Chairman Wesley Nail presided.

Several innovations for the 1954 community-wide clean-up are planned, Nail declared, that it is hoped will add impetus and interest to the concerted campaign.

"While we have in the past declared Clean-Up Weeks for our community," Nail pointed out, "we have never had complete cooperation of our people. We hope this year's beautification of our city and community will find added response which will result in improved civic appearances and improved health conditions."

While an entire week, from Monday through Saturday, has been designated as Clean-Up Week, special emphasis on designated vacant, public and school property will be given Thursday, April 21, from 2:00 till 4:00 p. m. During this period classes will be dismissed at Junior High School and High School, and business

See CLEAN-UP DRIVE—Page 3

## Stewardship and Church Attendance Educational Plan Stated by Methodists

Hamlin First Methodist Church has entered into an educational plan of stewardship and church attendance, according to Pastor Darris L. Egger.

Official board of the church voted to adopt the Roy Farrow plan at the recommendation of the commission on finance. Plans and committees were introduced at the mid-week service last Wednesday evening.

Rev. W. C. Hadley, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Golan, attended the meeting at the local church. Rev. Hadley gave the invocation. Rev. Egger read the scriptures. Carolyn McCleny directed group singing. Wesley Nail, general chairman of the plan, introduced Roy Farrow of Dallas, the guest speaker. Farrow is with the Texas Methodist College Association.

### Games to Be Featured At Neida Gathering

Games will be featured at the regular community gathering this (Friday) evening at the Neida community center, leaders of the vicinity announce.

Attendees are asked to bring sandwiches. Drinks will be sold at the snack bar.



JUDGE—Federal Judge Joe W. Sheehy (above) of Tyler is one of the two judges presiding over the U. S. Eastern Judicial District of Texas.

### Four Additions Made In Methodist Revival

Spiritual life of the church and community was greatly strengthened by efforts of the recent revival in the First Methodist Church, declared Rev. Darris L. Egger, pastor. Preaching for the meeting was Rev. S. M. Dunnam of Hereford, and Rev. Rex Mauldin of Aspermont directed the music.

Fifteen decisions were made during the series of services, including four additions, Rev. Egger reports.

### Red Cross Quota For Community Almost Raised

Hamlin community had most of its quota in the annual Red Cross membership drive raised at mid-week, reported Carl Murrell, community drive chairman. About \$275 was lacking on the \$1,300 accepted quota in the campaign, he said.

Murrell pointed out that no high powered house-to-house canvass had been made in the annual membership drive for the Mother of Mercy organization, and he felt gratified that a good response had come to the appeal for funds. Most of the burden of membership line-up was left to the business institutions and industries of the community, and Murrell said cooperation from this group had been good.

With a desire to wind up the drive within the next several days, the drive chairman asked that any lists that had not been turned in, or any individuals who had not been contacted and desire to contribute, to make their reports at once. Individuals wishing to share in the annual campaign may mail their checks to Murrell and proper credit will be given the Hamlin community, he said.

### High School Carnival Rescheduled for May 6

High School Carnival which had originally been set for April 1 has been postponed until Friday, May 6, it has been announced this week by officials of the Student Council, sponsors for the event.

The carnival was postponed because of its conflicting with revival meetings now underway at the First Baptist and Central Avenue Baptist Churches. The delay should give participants more time to prepare their booths and stunts or the show, sponsors point out.



MATADORA IN ACTION—The only U. S. woman bullfighter who places her own banderillos, Patricia Hayes here shows good form in the ring at Ciudad Acuna, Mexico. This is Miss Hayes' second year in the bull ring, and this fight was witnessed by Miss Hayes' father, J. H. Hayes of Pulaski, Tennessee, and San Angelo. Miss Hayes is from San Angelo.

# Swimming Pool Expected To Be Started in Few Days

## DePriest School Students Win First At District Contest

For the fifth time in succession contestants from DePriest Colored School of Hamlin placed first and brought back the literary trophy for the district Interscholastic League meet, staged Saturday at Colorado City.

Participating in the events, and taking first places, were: Charles Edward Mitchell, senior orator; William Henry Brown, junior declaiming; Vera Lee Haley, Vinita Mayfield, Joanne Logan and Clementine Turner, female quartet; Jesse Gilbert, Speedy Baldwin, D. C. Carr and James Arthur Laury, male quartet.

Second place winners were: One-act play, featuring Hattie Mae Anderson, Charles Edward Mitchell, Billy Ray Turner, Barbara Nell Johnson, Juanita Douglas, Janie Mae Brown, William Covington and Robert Lee Washington; Lewis Calvin Brown and Albert Douglas Jr., senior spelling; Vinita Mayfield, extemporaneous speaking; Hattie Anderson and Clementine Turner, debate.

Third place winners were: Juanita Bass and Eula Mae Davis, junior spelling; Johnnie Francis Jones and Birdie Lee Brown, sub-junior spelling.

The homemaking girls' group also placed first with their art exhibit.

This group of winners from the DePriest School will go to Prairie View in April to participate in the state meet.

### W. C. Emberton to Go To Church at Lamesa

William C. Emberton, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene for the past two and one-half years, has resigned his work here effective April 10, and has accepted a call to be minister of the Church of the Nazarene in Lamesa.

"We really appreciate the fine people of Hamlin, and have thoroughly enjoyed our labors here," declared Rev. Emberton. "Despite a unanimous vote to remain as minister here, we felt it God's will to accept the other work. The church and the people of Hamlin will always have a big place in our hearts."

### Two New Buildings Planned by Concerns

Two new business houses for the downtown area are scheduled for erection soon, it has been announced by present firm owners. Eddie Jay will erect a new store building with drive-in and parking facilities for Piggy Wiggly, it is announced by Edgar Duncan, the Jay property just south of Jay Implement Company.

A new unnerl parlor will be erected for Hamlin Funeral Home by Tom Teague on his property at the rear of McDonald's department store, facing Southwest Avenue A.



STEERING COMMITTEE for the education program on stewardship and church attendance being conducted by the First Methodist Church is pictured above. Members are, reading from left to right (front row): Wesley Nail, chairman, Mrs. Holly Toler, John C. Bryant; (back row): S. D. Ferguson, Fred Smith, L. H. McBride and Pastor Darris L. Egger.

## Little Interest in Elections Evincing

Two elections will feature the political scene in Hamlin during the coming week. But only nominal interest is being manifested in the two events, if a check-up by a Herald representative caught the pulse of the community.

In voting Saturday at the high school main vestibule two members of the board of trustees of the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District will be named. Polls will open at 8:00 a. m. and remain open until 6:00 o'clock p. m.

Presiding judge for the school trustee election will be H. L. Williams. All property tax paying residents of the 255-square mile school district are qualified to vote in the election.

Fred B. Moore Jr. and Noel (Duck) Weaver are seeking reelection to the board. Olin Amereson's name also is on the ticket.

### Spring Concert by DePriest Group to Be Presented April 15

Spring concert of the music department of DePriest Colored School will be presented Friday evening, April 15, at the Hamlin High School auditorium, it was announced this week by officials of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce, under whose auspices the program will be presented.

Under the direction of Noble Canida, the Choral Club of the school will be featured. Special numbers will be offered by a girls' quartet, a boys' quartet, girls' and boys' duets, extemporaneous speeches and other skits, according to E. S. Morgan, principal of the colored school.

## Midland Concern To Complete Pool For Use by May 30

Hamlin area youngsters and grown-ups will be swimming in their very own swimming pool on May 30 if plans made Wednesday afternoon by officials of the Hamlin Recreation Committee are carried out.

Terms for construction of the long-talked-about pool for Hamlin were agreed upon when the building committee met with J. H. Porter of Porter Construction Company of Midland Wednesday. Formal contract was due to be signed this week-end, according to Roy Dunlap, city engineer, who is chairman of the building group.

Basic cost of the pool will be \$15,115, which includes \$2,396 for the water filtering and pumping system. Not included in the contract are the sand, reinforcing steel, pipe and fittings, steel fence, sidewalks and bath houses.

Donations of quite a bit of this material was expected from interested parties, members of the committee point out.

Work on the pool is expected to get underway within three weeks, and completion date for the project is set for May 30.

Russell said that about \$15,000 to \$17,000 is in sight for the project that was originally proposed to cost \$20,000. Pledges to the project were continuing to trickle in, he reported.

Named as a committee to canvass bids and otherwise negotiate building plans were Roy Dunlap, city engineer, chairman; Delma Shelburne, Mrs. R. D. Moore and Jack Russell.

Hamlin Rotary Club joined the Lions Club and Veterans of Foreign Wars chapter in pledging \$300 to the project. Ten clubs and other civic organizations had been asked to make group pledges to the fund that were designed to raise about \$2,500.

Plan to further bolster the fund for the swimming pool was announced this week by Russell and publishers of The Herald. Commissions on subscriptions to Your Home Town Paper in a quick two-week drive are expected to raise from \$1,500 to \$2,000 for the fund. Classes at Hamlin High School will sponsor the subscription campaign, and the classes will share in the commissions.

Something over \$1,000 toward the goal remains to be raised yet, declares Jack Russell, chairman of the fund raising committee. He urged further work by members of the soliciting teams to secure this additional amount within the next several days.

## Hamlin Area Club Boys Run Into Keen Competition at Abilene Stock Show

Hamlin area and Jones County club boys ran into some of the toughest competition they have ever encountered when they took their animals and birds to Abilene Sunday for exhibition in the annual Abilene Fat Stock Show. The show featured top stock from a wide Central West Texas area.

Closest thing to a championship in the show was taken by Douglas Ford, Hamlin FFA boy, who won a reserve championship with his fat barrow.

Other placings by Hamlin area boys included: Poultry—Boyce Blankinship of Hamlin 4-H Club won tenth in pen of three capons; John Brinegar, Hamlin FFA, won eleventh in the same class; and Joy Burk, McCaulley FFA, took twelfth in the same section; George Huling, Hamlin FFA, won eleventh place in the heavyweight capons division.

Beef Calves—Boyce Blankinship, Hamlin 4-H, placed eleventh in the heavyweight drylot section; Ronny Parker, Hamlin FFA, took tenth, and Clifford Eoff, Hamlin FFA, placed fifteenth in the me-

dium weight dry lot section; Frances Hill, McCaulley 4-H, won fifth, Don Adair, Hamlin FFA, was seventh, and Corky Bond, Hamlin FFA, won fifteenth in the light drylot division.



Two new arrivals are reported at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald. A girl and a boy, they are:

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gruben arrived March 14 at 5:20 p. m. Weighing six pounds four ounces, the young man said it would be all right to call him Rickey Bon.

A girl for Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Embrey arrived March 24 at 9:30 a. m. After having her weight checked at seven pounds nine ounces, she was named Sharot Elaine.



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## WE MUST HAVE ROADS FOR REGION AND TEXAS

Current highway construction activity in the Hamlin region, which has recently been carried out from Hanna to Tuxedo, from Tuxedo to Sagerton, from Boyd Chapel to Merkel and elsewhere has emphasized to people of the section the importance of good roadways. The highways are universally wanted and needed.

But it takes money—and lots of it—to keep the highway building machinery going. As pointed out recently at the Abilene Chamber of Commerce banquet, attended by several Hamlin citizens, Chairman E. H. Thornton Jr. of the Texas Highway Commission, millions of dollars are needed to keep our highways abreast of the needs.

Governor Allan Shivers in his message to the Legislature recently said that Texas must have much more money for highways. He urged an increase in motor fuel taxes for this purpose.

A bill immediately was introduced in the Legislature by Representative Charles Murphy of Houston and W. W. Glass of Jacksonville calling for a constitutional amendment which would dedicate all such new revenue to highway work. Later Murphy on his own introduced a bill calling for a two-cent increase in gasoline and a comparable increase

on LPG and diesel fuel. If a motor fuel tax is imposed it will be the first since 1929.

There have been other taxes on the automobile user, however, which have been both added and increased since that time. Unfortunately none of these taxes goes directly to his own benefit as the fuel tax does.

The Murphy-Glass amendment is strongly supported by the Texas Good Roads Association because it would dedicate all future motor fuel revenues to highway building. Little disagreement can be found with this principle, especially in view of the tremendous demands now being made upon our highway system. We do not have to look far to see where our road money is going. For the most part it goes directly under rubber to provide safer and more economical operation of our motor vehicles.

During the last two years the highways situation in our own county has become acute. We are using more automobiles and trucks in our daily living than we ever dreamed of even a half-dozen years ago. Our own business men have gone to Austin and were told by the highway commission that there isn't enough money to get the job done. Meantime our automobile population and our human population is continuing to grow.

## Emphasis on Quality

Marked increases in the per capita consumption of eggs over the past few years has been accompanied by an increase in demand for a quality product. As a result, there is a shortage of high quality eggs despite the surplus production which has so plagued the industry from time to time.

Some of the fault lies in the failure on the part of the egg producers to follow practices to maintain quality. Seven widely recommended practices have been suggested to increase the number of top grade eggs the producer has to market. These are:

Confining the laying flock is a time-tested practice of farm management known to result in greater production and more high quality eggs. It should be remembered that overcrowding in a poultry house is as bad a practice as permitting the hens to roam. A lower rate of production and a higher percentage of stained and dirty eggs are certain to result.

Providing clean dry floor litter and clean nesting material are two practices which help provide more A quality eggs. Many types of litter and nesting materials are available and most are inexpensive. Keeping them dry and clean reduces the chore of cleaning eggs.

Gathering eggs at least three times a day is a necessary practice in the production of top quality.

Collecting and cooling eggs in wire baskets permits free circulation of air to cool eggs rapidly before they are packed in cases and reduces the chance of quality deterioration.

Cooling eggs before packing, keeping them cool and maintaining proper humidity are practices which go hand in hand. Maintenance of relatively high humidity is extremely important. Where natural conditions are not satisfactory, other means should be used to increase the moisture in storage places.

Will Rogers, the practical philosopher, was once asked by a discouraged friend, "If you had but forty-eight hours to live, how would you spend them?" The indomitable cow-puncher replied, "One at a time."

If we are but fixed and resolute—bent on high and holy ends—we shall find means to them on every side and at every moment.—Tryon Edwards.

One of the illusions of life is that the present hour is not the critical, decisive hour. Write it on your heart that every day is the best day of the year.—Emerson.

## Live in Comfort, Be Happy

The names of towns and cities in the United States are as diverse as interests and purposes of the people who settled them. In an interesting article in The American City attention is called to town names with religious connotations, some with romantic significance, and others with names of food, autos and military terms.

Some that reflect a religious nature are Faith (North Carolina), Hope (Kansas), and Charity (Missouri). Or, listen to one of the best known hymns—Onward (Indiana), Christian (West Virginia), Soldier (Iowa). Some indicate our forefathers' concern with social standards—Liberty (Pennsylvania), Equality (Alabama), Reform (Alabama), and Radical (Missouri). And then there are fanciful names like Sleepy Eye (Minnesota), Bushyhead (Oklahoma), Widemouth (West Virginia), Snowball (Arkansas), Water Proof (Louisiana), Wahoo (Nebraska), Loco (Oklahoma), Ono (Pennsylvania), Bent (New Mexico), Twist (Arkansas), Maybee (Michigan) and many others.

Romance has figured in town-naming all over the country. There is Dqrling (Mississippi), Heart (Arkansas), LaMoire (North Dakota), Lovely (Kentucky), Loveland (Iowa), Lovelady (Texas) and Spooner (Wisconsin). Every state in the union includes at least one locality which derives its title from a feminine name. Beatrice, Rose and Elsie are in Nebraska; Blanche and Catherine are in Alabama; while the home of Luella is in Georgia, Lucy is in Louisiana, and Pearl is in Illinois.

## Editorial of the Week

### DRIVER TRAINING

Dad certainly should be convinced now that he's not the one to teach Junior how to drive the car. The action by insurance companies squelches his arguments.

The stock insurance firms belonging to a national rate-setting group, the National Bureau of Casualty Underwriters, have agreed to cut rates 10 per cent for drivers under 25 if these individuals have completed approved high school or college courses in driver education. A few companies previously had taken such action.

This rate action is based partly on research which shows that school-trained drivers are better risks than other youngsters. But the rate reduction also is made mostly in the hope that this will result in more schools offering driver education courses and more youngsters enrolling in the courses where they are being offered.—Des Moines Register.

## RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper The Herald

### TWENTY YEARS AGO

Among news events of interest in the Hamlin community 20 years ago were the following, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 29, 1935:

Five new producing oil wells recently brought in on the Pardue place, seven miles northwest of Hamlin, have given the place the nickname of the "Oil Well Ranch" according to oil operators.

Honor roll for Hamlin High School for the six-week period ending March 1 included these: Oleta King, freshman; Virginia Collins, Dorothy Morgan and J. B. Terrell Jr., sophomores; C. J. Adkins, Avalene Murphree and Betty Myrtle Routh, juniors; Elhelyn Allen, Marvin York, Lois Anderson, Leone Bowman, Rowena Davis and Sara Ellen Nicholson, seniors.

Information from Austin is that Mrs. E. C. Brand, wife of state banking commissioner, formerly of Hamlin, has undergone a serious eye operation.

Final crop report for cotton production in Jones County for 1934 shows total was 23,513 bales. This led all other counties in this area, Runnels County being next with 22,201 bales.

Fred B. Moore is a candidate for reelection as city alderman at next Tuesday's city election, and B. L. Jones is a new candidate. Only two aldermen are to be named by city voters this year.

### TEN YEARS AGO

Among news items of interest in the Hamlin community 10 years ago included the following, which are reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 30, 1945:

Cotton ginnings for Jones County for the 1944 crop have been released and show a total of 43,811 bales processed, compared with a total of 29,059 for 1943.

Mrs. L. L. Cowan has moved her cleaning and pressing establishment to the brick building on Southwest Third Street, across the street from the post office.

Hamlin Schools will observe Monday, April 2, as a holiday by dismissing classes.

So far no one has filed his name as candidate for the two places made vacant on the City Council. The election will be held next Tuesday.

At the Ferguson Theater, Danny Kaye, Dinah Shore and Dana Andrews are featured in "Up in Arms."

Farmers of the area are busy preparing the land for another crop season. There is plenty of moisture in the ground.

Stanley Carmichael, one of Hamlin's Merchant Marine boys, is making "boats" on the waves out of New York City.

### FIVE YEARS AGO

Thirteen items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago were reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 1, 1949:

Sale of the Jay Hardware to Weldon Carlton was announced last week by Jay, who has owned the business more than three years.

A shower of rain gauging .35 of an inch was recorded Sunday. It brought year's rainfall total to 5.65 inches.

Clyde Huff of Hamlin was named district commander of Veterans of Foreign wars at a session held at Anson Sunday. The district is composed of 18 VFW posts.

A huge coyote was killed late Monday afternoon by three Hamlin men on the Robert Johnson place, six miles south of town as they were returning from a rabbit hunt. In the party were Rev. W. E. Nunn, Ed Branscum and John Johnson.

Max Murrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murrell of Hamlin, has been given an appointment to West Point Academy.

Gamille Hassen, student at McMurry College in Abilene, has a supporting role in a Shakespearean play, "Hamlet," scheduled for presentation soon.

### ONE YEAR AGO

Among news items of interest in the community a year ago were the following, which are reproduced from the issue of the Hamlin Herald dated April 2, 1954:

A record city vote is prophesied this week in the campaign to make four new members to the City Council in balloting next Tuesday, according to a check-up.

The big new \$500,000 gas plant of the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company, seven miles northwest of Hamlin, is taking shape this week as work is progressing on the big processing plant.

Dairy judging team from the Hamlin chapter of Future Farmers of America won first place in a contest at a county fair. The team is composed

## Record Run of Sheep and Lambs Makes Prices Sag on Market at Fort Worth

A total of 24,306 sheep and lambs arrived for Monday's trade at Fort Worth, reports Ted Gouldy, special market reporter for the Herald, in his weekly release. He continues: The unexpectedly large offering was the biggest in a single day since May 22, 1950, when 25,100 were unloaded. Largest day prior to that was in May, 1948, when 37,807 were chalked up in one marketing day.

Most unusual aspect of the big run was that it came so early in the season. Big movement of Texas lambs usually happens in May and June. The big offering was about 75 per cent milk fat

lambs of the new crop aimed at the Easter trade. Lambs processed the forepart of this week will be sold to Easter lamb buyers in the North and East next week. Trade opened 50 cents to \$1 lower on all sheep and lambs, and prices slid downward to \$1 and \$2 lower by the close. Choice lambs drew \$23 to \$25, and old fat lambs sold from \$20 down. Old wethers topped at \$14.

Trade on most classes of cattle and calves at Fort Worth Monday was active and fully steady to strong. The only class experiencing severe pressure was fed steers, yearlings and heifers. Fed cattle sold steady to weak, some of the plainer quality fat cattle unevenly lower.

Cows were active and fully steady. Bulls sold stronger. Cow-ranged up to \$14 and a few bulls sold to \$14.50. Fed cattle sold mainly from \$23.50 down, though some fancy yearlings from McClurg Land & Cattle Company weighed up at \$25 on a previous sale.

Tubby fat calves sold from \$19 to \$21.50, and steer calves and stocker steer yearlings sold from \$22 downward.

Opening trade on hogs at Fort Worth Monday saw a top of \$17 and \$18.25 established. This was 50 to 75 cents above the previous week's close. The less desirable butcher hogs sold from \$16.50 to \$18. Pecking sows had a strong market at \$13 to \$16.

## Two Hamlin Students At McMurry College Pledged to Social Unite

Faith Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson of Hamlin and Norman Ray Current, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore W. Current of McCaulley, have been invited to pledge a social club at McMurry College in Abilene, according to a news release to The Herald.

Miss Simpson has been invited to join Gamma Sigma, women's social club organized in 1936, and Current has been invited to pledge IHR, men's social club organized in 1932.

Purpose of McMurry's nine social clubs for men and women students, according to Vice President W. B. McDaniel, is to promote social and cultural growth among their members, and to boost fellowship and school spirit at the college.

Of Dawl Johnson, Clifford Eoff and Douglas Ford.

Small grains in the Hamlin area are suffering for lack of moisture, according to a check-up of several area growers.



## Visitor of Albany, Lymette Moore, Is Victim of Attack

Friendly visit of a brother and sister in Hamlin Tuesday morning ended in the sudden death of an Albany woman, Lymette Moore, 56.

Miss Moore, a resident of Albany since 1915, had driven to Hamlin to visit with her brother, Ned Moore, and family. While Mr. and Mrs. Moore were talking with their guest, Miss Moore suffered a heart attack and died a few minutes later.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the First Christian Church in Albany, with Rev. William J. Vaughn, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Albany Cemetery under the direction of Castleberry Funeral Home.

Miss Moore was born in Italy, Texas, February 5, 1899, and moved to Shackelford County with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Moore, in 1915.

Miss Moore is survived by her parents; three brothers, Joe D. and Jack Moore of Albany, and Ned Moore of Hamlin; three sisters, Mrs. A. S. Reeves of Houston, Mrs. I. A. Russell of Stamford and Mrs. Albert Porter of Albany.

## Hamlin Invited to Participate in Baseball League for This Area

Nine area towns have been invited to participate in an independent amateur baseball league for this summer's activities, according to O. O. Hollingsworth of Sweetwater, who is taking the lead in the movement.

"This will be a non-salaried, purely home talent project with each town's vicinity players only permitted and no professional players allowed," Hollingsworth declared.

Towns that have been invited to participate are Snyder, Lamesa, Colorado City, Hamlin, Winters, Ballinger, Sweetwater, Merkel and Bronte.

A number of these towns already have lighted baseball parks so that a schedule of games could be drawn up so that games could be played one night a week and on Sunday afternoon, Hollingsworth points out.

The Sweetwater man asks The Herald to urge anyone in Hamlin interested in promoting such a team and league to get in touch with him soon.

To my early knowledge of the Bible I owe the best part of my taste in literature, and the most previous, and on the whole, the one essential part of my education.—John Ruskin.

## Hamlin Girls to Vie In District Meet Events

Five girls will represent the commercial classes of Hamlin High School in district typing and shorthand contests that will be conducted Saturday at Merkel, according to Dora Mitchell, instructor of the group.

The local girls will compete again typing and shorthand students from Colorado City, Rotan and Merkel in the district meet.

Typing entries are Jove Big-ham, Barbara Durham and June Hill. Shorthand entries are Carolyn Pace and Amanda Freeman.

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## County Officials Tell of Functions at Rotary Club Meet

Functions of the various county offices were outlined by members of the Jones County official family when they were special guests at the Wednesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Rotary Club at the oil mill guest house.

In charge of the program was Tate May, who introduced the various officials. The visitors were: County Judge Pete Andrews, who gave as his principal functions the presiding over the administrative problems of the county; County Attorney Charles E. Brownfield, who said his major job was legal representation of the county; County Tax Assessor-Collector Ima B. Dougherty, who said that county tax valuations total \$27,586,368.85 for 1954, and who said tax collections for last year were over 94.6 per cent; County Clerk Gene Spurgin, who records proceedings of the county court and Commissioners Court, and gave information about the photostat copying machine in his office.

Carl Savage, county auditor, reported that county auto registrations in Jones County total some \$115,000 per year; County Home Demonstration Agent Jimmie Lou Wainwright, reported that there are 15 Home Demonstration Clubs and 11 4-H Clubs in the county; County Treasurer D. M. White; Sheriff Dave Reves; District Clerk Leon Thurman; County Superintendent Everett Beaver; and County Commissioner Johnnie Agnew.

Other guests at the Wednesday luncheon included R. E. Kuykendall and son, Robert G., H. E. Herricksen, Bill Blakeney and W. D. Manz of Abilene; George Beard of Sweetwater; J. W. Maddox and W. M. Blackburn of Stamford; Rev. Howard S. Kolb of Fort Worth.

## Methodist Pastor in Vacation School Role

Rev. Darris Egger, pastor of the First Methodist Church, was in Munday Tuesday evening, where he was teaching in a vacation church school institute for representatives from the Methodist churches of the Stamford District. He was accompanied by Rev. Roy Patterson, pastor of the Roby Methodist Church, who also was an instructor in the school.



**CHECK SIGNATURE CHECKED**—Senator Jimmy Phillips of Angleton (center) asks Timoto De Leon of Georgetown if the signature on the copy of the veterans' land refund check is his. Leon said that the signature was not his and that he had not seen the check before. At right Senator Crawford Martin looks on with interest. Leon was one of three Latin-Americans who testified before the Senate veterans' land committee in Austin.

## HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Gary Maberry, medical, March 20; Gerald Owens of Longworth, medical, March 22; Mrs. Grover Prewitt, medical, March 23; Mrs. Clyde Huff, medical, March 23; James Watson, surgery, March 23; J. W. Fancher of McCaulley, medical, March 23; J. T. Hindman, medical, March 24; Mrs. J. W. Stapler, medical, March 23; Mrs. Calvin Embrey, ob., March 24; R. W. Hugdon, medical, March 24; Bess Reynolds of Midland, medical, March 24; Jimmie Holmes, medical, March 24; Mrs. Jim Anderson, medical, March 24; Leroy Meador of Peacock, medical, March 25; Tom Campbell, medical, March 26; Mrs. Cliff Crowley, medical, March 25; H. L. Mehaffey of Anson, surgery, March 27; Mrs. W. E. Dunnam, medical, March 28; Richard Sutherland, medical, March 29; Patsy Meeks, medical, March 26; Mrs. Simon Rodriguez, medical, March 28.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. Edward Dodd, March 24; Don Rowland, March 26; John Gibbons,

March 17; Mrs. I. M. Roberts of Sylvester, March 23; Mrs. Bail Hill, March 22; Leroy Meador of Peacock, March 23; Timmy Ingram, March 20; Douglas Ford, March 21; W. F. Frazier of Aspermont, March 26; Dan Howard, March 21; Arlene Forbes of Sylvester, March 24; Sarah Snapp, March 24; Mrs. Pat O'Harrow, March 27; F. M. Chandler, March 27; I. M. Roberts of Sylvester, March 23; Mrs. Ross Gruben of McCaulley, March 26; Mrs. Charles Toler of Roby, March 23; Mrs. Jesse Stanford, March 29; Mrs. H. E. Black, March 24; H. E. Black, March 24; Mrs. J. D. Meeks, March 28; Mrs. F. L. Bailey, March 26; Mrs. H. D. Lain, March 23; Judith Jenkins, March 25; Gary Mabry, March 21; Gerald Owens of Longworth, March 26; Mrs. Grover Prewitt, March 23; Mrs. Clyde Huff, March 26; James Watson, March 27; J. W. Fancher of McCaulley, March 24; Mrs. J. W. Stapler, March 27; Bess Reynolds of Midland, March 27; Leroy Meador of Peacock, March 28; Mrs. Cliff Crowley, March 28; H. L. Mehaffey of Anson, March 29.

## Final Rites for Mrs. O. R. Greenway, Held Wednesday

Final rites for Mrs. O. R. Greenway, 82-year-old long time resident of Fisher County, were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Hittson community Baptist Church, six miles west of Hamlin.

Mrs. Greenway died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Alvin Hill, in the Hittson community at 4:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. She had been ill for two months.

She was born Elizabeth Ellen Mathis in Georgia September 7, 1872. She was married to Mr. Greenway April 3, 1892. They moved to the Hittson community from Van Zandt County. Mr. Greenway died in 1952.

Officiating at the funeral was Rev. Elbert Galloway of Knott. Burial was in the Afton Cemetery under direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home of Rotan. Grandsons were pallbearers.

Survivors include seven daughters, Beulah Roberta Greenway of Grand Saline, Mrs. Fred Baker of Terrell, Mrs. Otto Woodson of Wills Point, Mrs. H. E. Huddleston, both of Abilene, Mrs. Ruth McAden of Fort Worth and Mrs. Alvin Hill of Hamlin; six sons, Mitchell Greenway of Grand Saline, Dewey and John Greenway of Rotan, Link Greenway of Hamlin, Buster Greenway of Sweetwater, Jack Greenway of Midland; one brother, three sisters, 49 grandchildren and 36 great-grandchildren.

## Methodists Attend Bible School Course

Five representatives from the Hamlin First Methodist Church were scheduled to attend a vacation Bible school institute Thursday at Stamford. The institute was being conducted for area church workers preparatory to the holding of vacation Bible schools this summer.

Mrs. W. T. Johnson has been named director for the school in the local church.

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## LaFoy Patterson Takes Position Recently at F. & M. National Bank

LaFoy Patterson started to work with the Farmers & Merchants National Bank on March 15, and will serve as a general clerk and relief teller, officials of Hamlin's banking institution announced this week.

Banking is nothing new for Patterson, as during his high school days he worked with the old First State Bank of Hamlin, and after graduating worked with the bank at various times up until 1942, since which time he has been engaged in farming near Hamlin.

Patterson is married and has four daughters. He lives in the city of Hamlin. He and his family are active members of the First Baptist Church. Patterson is a director of the Hamlin Farmers Cooperative Gin, and for a number of years he has been on the board of trustees of the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District.

An intersection crash and a busted snout—is better to prevent than crow about.

## Cub Scouts to Have Display May 7 at Garden Club Show

Members of the Cub Scouts and their parents were advised that the Cub Scouts of the Hamlin community will have a display at the Garden Club's exhibit May 7, when the monthly meeting of the Cub Scouts and their parents was held last Thursday in the Primary School cafeteria.

The meeting was opened with the Cub Scouts repeating the Cub Scout promise. Each den presented a skit, and a number of the boys received their awards.

Starr Inzer resigned as Cubmaster, and the following officers were elected: Joe Stephens, Cubmaster; Othel Sipe, assistant Cubmaster; Eddie Jay, chairman of the committee; D. J. Turner, secretary-treasurer; Garland Preston, Albert Hill, Vernon Sharer, H. V. Kelly, Nelson Shave, Louis Fincannon, Ned Moore and Starr Inzer, committeemen.

The meeting was closed by the Cub Scouts giving the pledge to the flag.

## Brother of Hamlinite, Jess R. Wood Dies at Abilene on Tuesday

Jess R. Wood, 49-year-old mail-room foreman of the Abilene Reporter-News, and brother of Mrs. Marvin Rhoton of Hamlin, died Tuesday afternoon in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

He had entered the hospital at noon Tuesday suffering from a cerebral hemorrhage. He first became ill Saturday night.

Funeral services were conducted at 3:30 p. m. Thursday afternoon in the University Baptist Church. Rev. Sterling L. Price, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery under direction of Elliott Funeral Home.

Born March 6, 1906, at Merkel, he lived there and at Colorado City with his family until 1917. He had been an employee of the Abilene paper for 22 years.

Survivors are his wife; two sons, Raymond and Bobby, both at home; his mother, Mrs. Nancy Wood of Abilene; three sisters, Mrs. Harry Fragile of Anson, Mrs. Marvin Rhoton of Hamlin and Mrs. Tom Flannagan of San Antonio.

gelo; and one brother, Lee Wood of Fort Worth.

## CLEAN-UP DRIVE

(concluded from page one) houses will be asked to close for the two-hour period in order to permit students and employers and employees to work at the task of beautifying the community.

Further details of the clean-up will be announced within the next several days, Nail says.

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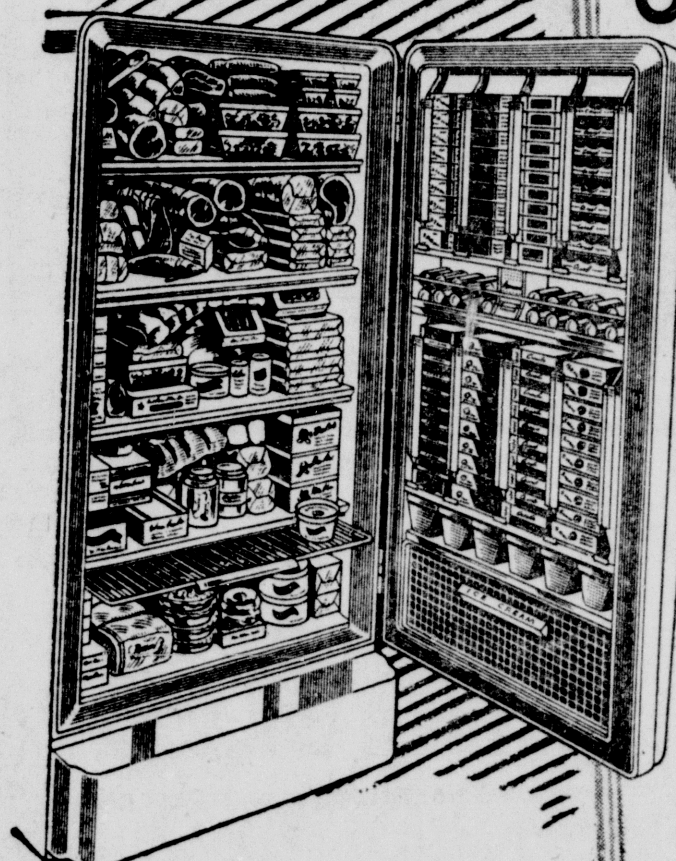
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# The Herald's Page for Women



## Style Show Sponsored by Beta Theta Sorority Raises \$225 in Tabulation

Final receipts of the style show recently staged by the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi were reported at \$225 when members of the group met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Toby Williams for a regular meeting.

Mrs. S. C. Ferguson Jr. conducted the business session. Mrs. Vernon Townsend of the social committee expressed thanks to all those who helped with the refreshments for the style show. A vote of thanks from the club was given Mrs. W. F. Martin and Mrs. Bill Feagan for their work on the style show. Mrs. Hawkins made the style show financial report. Mrs. George Poe reported on the swimming pool project.

Mrs. Weldon Carlton gave the report of the nominating committee for officers for next year. They are: Mrs. Gerald Young, president; Mrs. Brad Rowland Jr., vice president; Mrs. Arlie Castle, recording secretary; Mrs. Vernon Townsend, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Earl Smith, reporter.

Mrs. Ed Boaz, treasurer; Mrs. W. F. Martin, parliamentarian. These officers were elected by acclamation. Mrs. C. Weldon Griggs was named sponsor, and Mrs. Austin Poe was elected director.

Sandwiches, cold drinks and potato chips were served to these members: Mmes. George Poe, Vernon Townsend, Jim Ballard, Brad Rowland Jr., W. T. Johnson, Gerald Young, S. C. Ferguson Jr., Cliff Reynolds Jr., E. J. Hawkins, Ed D. Perrin, Arlie Castle, W. F. Martin, Johnny Bryant, M. I. Smith, Bill Feagan, C. W. Griggs, Weldon Carlton, and Pat Maberry.

## Firemen's Auxiliary Pledges \$50 to Hamlin Swimming Pool Fund

Pledge of \$50 to the community swimming pool fund was subscribed by members of the Firemen's Auxiliary when the group met last Thursday evening at the fire station in a "come-as-you-are" party.

Hostesses were Genevieve Buchanan, Ruth Josey and Earlene Edwards. Games were enjoyed by the attendants. Secret pals for the first three months were revealed at the session.

Cookies and cold drinks were served to the following attendants: Nell McGuire, Lillie Mae White, Louise Jones, LaVerne Branscum, Jane Murphree, Helen Thompson, Lennie Cochran, Lillie Branscum, Ruth Josey, Genevieve Buchanan and Earlene Edwards, members; and one visitor, Mrs. T. B. Bell of New London, mother of Mrs. Buchanan.

## County 4-H Girls to Attend District Events

Jones County 4-H Club girls will participate Saturday in District III 4-H Club contests, which will be staged at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls.

Team and individual demonstrations, judging teams, share-the-fun, and public speaking contests will be held at this time. Contestants at this event will be representatives of the 22 counties in this district.

Jones County girls' 4-H Club contestants are: Beth Adkins, public speaking; Karen Irvin and Nancy Hunter, dairy foods team demonstration; Pat Stuart and Melba Ueckert, vegetable team demonstration.

## VISIT RELATIVES.

Mrs. W. S. Graham and Mrs. C. M. Abbott visited last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Graham and children at Wichita Falls.

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## Reunion Dinner for Fomby Children Held In Waggoner Home

Home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waggoner was the scene last week of a reunion and dinner for the family of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fomby.

Attending the affair were Mrs. A. Holmberg, Mrs. Fomby's sister, and Mrs. Fomby's niece, Mrs. Charlie Hart, and Mary Ann attended from Dumont. Major General W. O. Senter and Sue Ellen of Tinker Field, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Rowell, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Carmen and Dorothy Ellen of Anson; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fomby and Sarah Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Waggoner and Mrs. Ross Fomby, all of Hamlin, were attendants at the reunion.

## Reba Roland Named Hamlin FHA President At Tuesday Meeting

Reba Roland was elected president of the Future Homemakers of America chapter at Hamlin High School for 1955-56 Tuesday evening at a special meeting of the girls in the high school auditorium.

Other officers elected at the time were: Elizabeth Norton, vice president; Janis Crowley, secretary-treasurer; Ann Cochran, historian; Jean Powell, parliamentarian; Judy Harden, reporter; Merle Bryant, sergeant-at-arms; Betty Gray, song leader; and Joyce Bigham, pianist.

Several girls were awarded Junior Homemaker degrees in the Hamlin chapter. They were Jean Powell, Cecelia Albritton, Georgia McDaniel and Sara Kay Fomby.

The chapter elected four girls to go to the state FHA meeting at Galveston on April 19 to 21. They were Ann Cochran, Elizabeth Norton, Reba Roland and Jean Powell.

The chapter will sponsor a cake sale Saturday morning beginning at 10:00 o'clock.

## DePriest School P-TA Presents Style Show In Auditorium Friday

Members of the Parent-Teacher Association of the DePriest Colored School presented a style show at the school Friday evening, which was well attended.

Women modeling in the review were Mmes. L. E. Breedlove, Evelina Butler, Stella Mason, Mary Lewis, Isa Norman, Hester Mae Johnson, Jo Ella Miller, Lillie B. Paige, Ethel Fay Ford, Lillian Tatum, Little Joycelyn Lewis, Dorothy Dean Butler and Charles McPherson modeled children's clothes. Men who styled were Arizona Paige, Emanuel Fuller and Fred Thompson.

After the style review, the group was entertained with a short program. Mmes. Lillie B. Paige, Mary Lewis, L. E. Breedlove and Evelina Butler, and with Charles E. Mitchell doing the solo, gave a unique version of "This Old House." Evelina Butler sang "When I Grow Too Old to Dream," and Mrs. W. C. Butler climaxed the program by singing "Teach Me Tonight."

The Parent-Teacher Association hopes to make this event an annual one, officials of the organization said.

## VISITS IN ABILENE.

J. E. Patterson spent the week-end in Abilene with his son and family. He attended the Barber Shop Quartet show Saturday night, which a number of other Hamlin area people witnessed.

## GREENS VISIT AT AUSTIN.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Green spent from Saturday through Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John F. Green Jr. and Johnny at Austin. They also attended a car dealers' meeting in the capitol city.



Moody (above) is Texas' Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow. She will compete with 47 other state winners for the national award to be announced April 21 in Philadelphia. Amanda Freeman was Hamlin's Homemaker of Tomorrow in the preliminary events.

## Moody Girl Named Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for Texas

Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow is Marlene Comer of Moody.

Marlene, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Comer, who have one other daughter, Gail, 14, received the highest score of the 435 school winners throughout the state. A total of 8,250 Texas senior high school girls participated in the examination which was given January 12.

Amanda Freeman was the Hamlin Future Homemaker of Tomorrow at Hamlin High School.

Marlene will compete with 47 other state winners for the Betty Crocker All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow title. By winning the Texas pin, she receives a \$1,500 scholarship and an expense-paid trip for herself and her school advisor to Washington.

## Ojeda Wallace Named President of VFW

Ojeda Wallace was elected president of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Hamlin post of Veterans of Foreign Wars when the group met last Thursday in regular business session. Zelma Perryman, president, presided.

Others officers named included: Valeria Hudson, senior vice president; Wanda Neal, junior vice president; Inell Huff, treasurer; Jessie Mae Dillard, chaplain; Zelma Perryman, conductress; Pearl Miller, guard; Edith Eley, secretary; Ava Hudson, first year trustee; Cricket Fomby, second year trustee; Beatrice Huling, third year trustee.

Next meeting of the group will be a special gathering on Thursday evening, April 17, when the new officers will be installed, it has been announced.

D. C., colonial Williamsburg, Virginia, and Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Her school will receive a set of the Encyclopedia Britannica.

The national winner in this search conducted among 180,000 young women in 8,000 of the nation's high schools will be named April 21 at an American table fete in Philadelphia. The All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow will receive an additional \$3,500 scholarship. Singer Eddie Fisher will serve as emcee on the half-hour ABC network television show from Philadelphia when the national winner will be announced.

Marlene can best be described as a typical teen-ager with varied interests and achievements.

She is on the go all the time, taking part in many school, community and church activities besides sharing in family affairs.

She ranks in the top one-quarter of her class, with the possibility that she could be valedictorian. Marlene's courses are pointed to a career in teaching. She plans to attend Southwestern University at Georgetown.

Her favorite homemaking activity is baking, although she also enjoys sewing for herself, and making aluminum trays and leatherwork pieces. Her sports activities are tennis and swimming.

Like many other state winners, Marlene is busy with Future Homemaker of America club work.

Other school activities include news editor of the school paper, assistant editor of the yearbook, librarian, pep squad, tennis club, the senior class play, and choral club.

Five years ago she and her family moved to Moody from Pasadena, California. It was homecoming for her parents, both of whom were born and reared at Moody.

## Neinda 4-H Girls to Represent County at District Competition

Pat Stuart and Melba Ueckert, members of the Neinda 4-H Club, were declared winners in the county elimination contests to name vegetable demonstrators. The elimination contest was held in the office of J. H. Lou Wainwright, county home demonstration agent.

The contests were judged by Mrs. L. B. McFarland, Anson homemaker teacher, and Mrs. Bill Cramer, Bluebonnet Home Demonstration Club member.

Alternates were Ann and Myrna Paterson, members of the Noodle 4-H Club.

Their demonstration was on "Buying Canned Vegetables." They stressed information found on labels and how this information can be used. They also prepared creamed English peas.

Nancy Irvin and Karen Irvin of the Noodle 4-H Club gave their demonstration on "Milk Is Magic." They will be Jones County's entries in the district 4-H contests at Wichita Falls on April 2. Pat and Melba also will compete in the district contests at that time.

## GRIFFINS ON VISIT.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griffin returned Sunday from a several-day visit with their son, J. W. Griffin Jr., and family at Hewett, near Waco.

## DePriest Homemakers Set Style Show April 7

Members of the homemaking department at DePriest Colored School will present their annual style show next Thursday evening, April 7, according to Mrs. E. F. Ford, instructor.

The girls will model the garments they have made during the past semester. There will be girls from other area schools who will participate.

Small admission charges of 10 and 20 cents will be made to defray expenses of the show.

A short program will climax the style show, Mrs. Ford states. Refreshments will be served to attendees.

## Bluebonnet 4-H Club Girls Study Sewing

A lesson on sewing was the featured part of the program when members of the Bluebonnet 4-H Club met this week. Joyce Smith called the meeting to order.

Linda Bingham directed the girls in a game. Elsie Walker called the roll and read the minutes.

Members present were Joyce Bingham, Charlotte Burleson, Elsie Walker, Linda Bingham, Joyce Smith, Sandra Smith, Mary Smith, Pat Green, George Ann Black and Darlene Jesse.

Next meeting of the Bluebonnet will be April 11.

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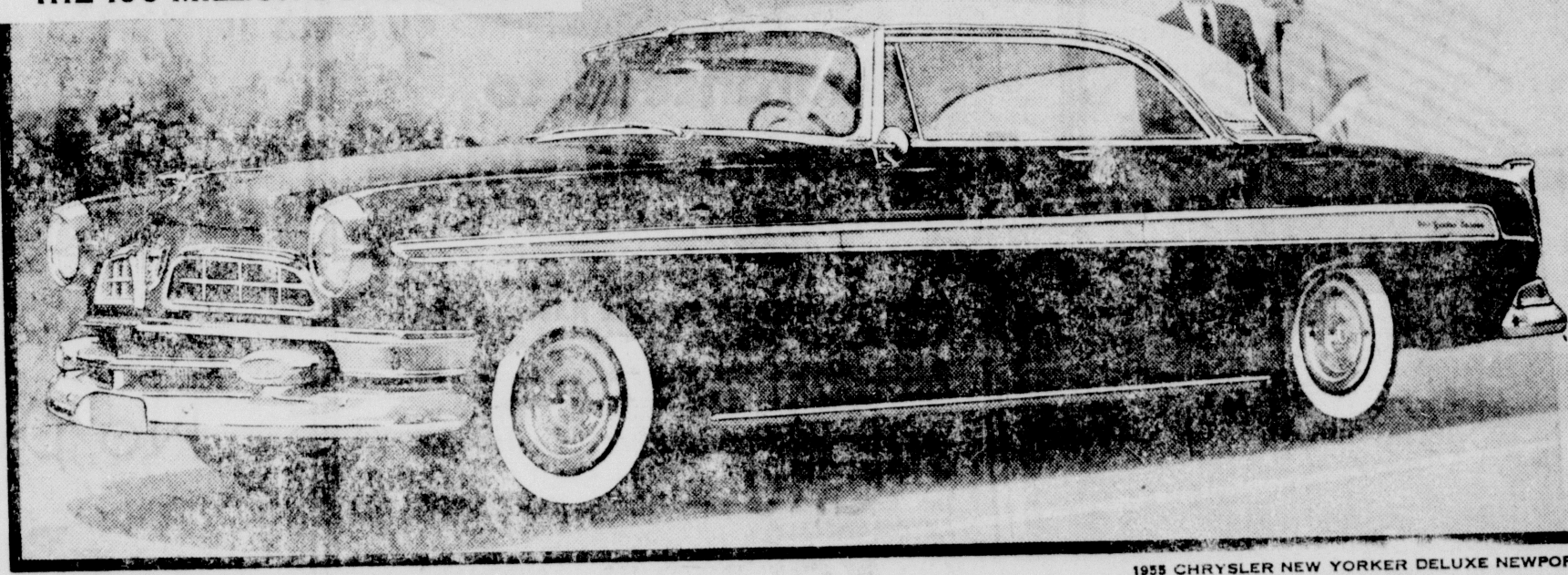
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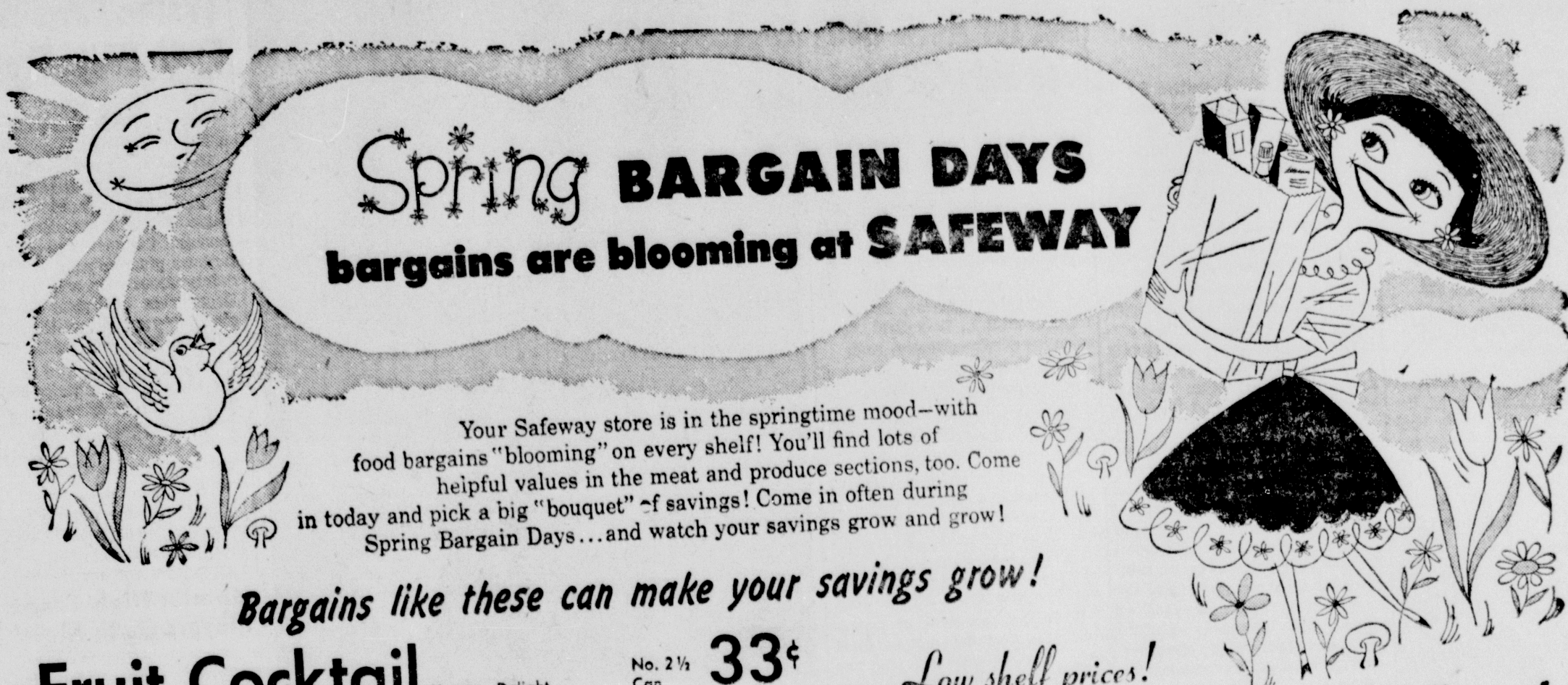
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Breeze Detergent	31¢	Ivory Laundry Soap	25¢
Ivory Laundry Soap	27¢	Ivory Toilet Soap	23¢
Toilet Soap Cashmere Bouquet	17¢	Toilet Soap Cashmere Bouquet	25¢



## Spring BARGAIN DAYS

### bargains are blooming at SAFEWAY

Your Safeway store is in the springtime mood—with food bargains "blooming" on every shelf! You'll find lots of helpful values in the meat and produce sections, too. Come in today and pick a big "bouquet" of savings! Come in often during Spring Bargain Days...and watch your savings grow and grow!

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Libby Quality Products

Sliced Pineapple Libby	No. 2 Can	32¢
Crushed Pineapple Libby	No. 2 Can	29¢
Sliced Peaches or Halved Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	33¢
Unpeeled Apricots Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	27¢
Bartlett Pears Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	29¢
Royal Anne Cherries Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	33¢
Deluxe Plums Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	23¢
Fruit Cocktail Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	39¢
Fruit Salad Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	53¢
Pineapple Juice Libby	No. 2 Can	16¢
Pineapple Juice Libby	4-Lb. Can	29¢
Pear Nectar Libby	2-Lb. Can	15¢

Treet Armour	41¢	Corned Beef Armour	53¢
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LaChoy Products

Meatless Chop Suey LaChoy	No. 2 Can	41¢
Chicken Chop Suey LaChoy	No. 2 Can	73¢
Beef Chop Suey LaChoy	No. 2 Can	57¢
Soy Sauce LaChoy	8-Oz. Bot.	12¢
Brown Gravy Sauce LaChoy	8-Oz. Bot.	21¢
Chinese Dinner LaChoy	No. 2 Can	59¢
Beef Chow Mein LaChoy	No. 2 Can	81¢
Chow Mein Noodles LaChoy	No. 2 Can	20¢
Bamboo Shoots LaChoy	8-Oz. Can	45¢
Water Chestnuts LaChoy	8-Oz. Can	46¢
Chop Suey Vegetables LaChoy	No. 2 Can	29¢
Bean Sprouts LaChoy	No. 2 Can	18¢

Snowdrift Shortening	77¢	White Label Tuna Chicken of the Sea	41¢
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Helene Curtis Products

Lanolin Lotion Helene Curtis	4-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Egg Shampoo Helene Curtis	4-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Cream Rinse Helene Curtis	4-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Spray Net Helene Curtis (Tax incl.)	4 1/2-Oz. Bot.	1.38
Suave Helene Curtis (Tax incl.)	1 1/2-Oz. Bot.	49¢

Red Karo Syrup	1 1/2-Lb. Bot.	25¢
Deodorant Floral Aerosol, Colgate	5 1/2-Oz. Can	69¢

Fruit Cocktail	Hostess Delight	No. 2 1/2 Can	33¢
Grape Juice	Welch	24-Oz. Bot.	35¢
Tomatoes	Gardenside	303 Can	10¢
Cherub Milk	Evaporated	2 Tall Cans	19¢
Baby Food	Str'd. fruits and vegetables, Gerber's	4 4 1/2-Oz. Cans	25¢
Vienna Sausage	Lib Rebel	3 1/2-Oz. Can	10¢
Pure Cane Sugar		10-Lb. Pkg.	85¢
Shortening	Royal Satin	3-Lb. Can	61¢
Spry Shortening		3-Lb. Can	79¢
Salad Dressing	Duchess	32-Oz. Jar	29¢

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Shaving Soap	69¢
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Milk of Magnesia	23¢
Aspirin Tablets	39¢
Antiseptic a.s.	25¢

Low shelf prices!

Grape Juice	Waitair	24-Oz. Bot.	35¢
Grape Juice	Waitair	48-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Pork & Beans	Taste Telle	No. 2 1/2 Can	22¢
Wafico Tuna	Light & dark meat	8-Oz. Can	19¢
Pancake Flour	Suzanne	20-Oz. Pkg.	34¢
White Corn Meal	Mammy	20-Oz. Pkg.	16¢
Mayday Salad Oil		Qt. Bot.	62¢
Cragmont Beverages	Assorted	2 12-Oz. Bots.	29¢
White Vinegar	Old Mill	Qt. Bot.	21¢
Apricot Preserves	Tea Garden	12-Oz. Jar	30¢
Peach Preserves	Tea Garden	12-Oz. Jar	28¢
Peanut Butter	Real Roast	20-Oz. Jar	53¢
Sandwich Spread	Lunch Box	32-Oz. Jar	63¢
NuMade Mayonnaise		1-Lb. Pkg.	45¢
Spring House Butter		1-Lb. Pkg.	69¢

**For Easter Egg Hunts!**

**Paas Easter Egg Dye**

Small Kit	15¢	Large Kit	39¢
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Low shelf prices!

Corn	Whole Kernel	10-Oz. Pkg.	17¢
Fried Potatoes	French	8-Oz. Pkg.	17¢
Strawberries	Premium quality	10-Oz. Pkg.	27¢
Orange Juice	Premium quality	2 5-Oz. Cans	31¢
Lemonade	Premium quality	2 5-Oz. Cans	37¢
White Bread	Regular	24-Oz. Loaf	21¢

Lenten suggestions!

Ocean Perch	Captain's Choice	16-Oz. Pkg.	45¢
Cod Fillets	Captain's Choice	16-Oz. Pkg.	39¢
Haddock Fillets	Captain's Choice	16-Oz. Pkg.	47¢
Catfish Fillets	Flavor	16-Oz. Pkg.	52¢
Red Salmon	Captain's Choice	16-Oz. Pkg.	75¢
Flounder Fillets	Captain's Choice	16-Oz. Pkg.	59¢
Medium Shrimp		12-Oz. Pkg.	55¢
Whiting	Captain's Choice	16 1/2-Lb. Pkg.	29¢
Fish Sticks	Captain's Choice	10-Oz. Pkg.	43¢
Breaded Shrimp	Individually packaged	10-Oz. Pkg.	59¢
Deviled Crabs	Florida	4-Oz. Pkg.	27¢

Low shelf prices!

Airway Coffee	Finest	1-Lb. Pkg.	79¢
Nob Hill Coffee	Extra rich	1-Lb. Pkg.	83¢
Edwards Coffee	Top quality	1-Lb. Can	93¢
Instant Coffee	Edwards	2-Oz. Jar	57¢
Canterbury Tea	Orange Pekoe	1/2-Lb. Pkg.	32¢

Low shelf prices!

Lucerne Sweet Milk	Home	1/2-Gal. Can	49¢
Lucerne Buttermilk		1/2-Gal. Can	39¢
Whipping Cream	Lucerne	1/2-Pt. Can	25¢
Cottage Cheese	Blossom Time	12-Oz. Can	19¢
Ritz Crackers		1-Lb. Pkg.	35¢

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Grapefruit	Florida, seedless	1-Lb.	8¢
Fine Avocados	from California	2 For	27¢
White Onions	from Texas	2 Lbs.	27¢
New Potatoes	from Florida	2 Lbs.	17¢
Green Beans	Kentucky Wonders	1-Lb.	19¢
Green Onions	Fresh Mild	2 Bunches	15¢
Pascal Celery	Cello-packed	1-Lb.	25¢

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Busy Baker Crackers	Assorted	4-Lb. Pkg.	25¢
Graham Crackers	Pirate's Gold	1-Lb. Pkg.	33¢
Vanilla Extract	Imitation	4-Oz. Bot.	10¢
Sunnybank Margarine		1-Lb. Pkg.	29¢
Dalewood Margarine		1-Lb. Pkg.	25¢
Breeze Cheese Spread		8 1/2-Oz. Pkg.	87¢
Longhorn Cheese	Wisconsin	1-Lb.	49¢
White Eggs	Large, grade A	Doz.	59¢
Chicken Pie	Major House	8-Oz. Pkg.	27¢

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Swiss Steak	or Round, U.S. gov't.-graded calf.	1-Lb.	79¢
Chuck Roast	U.S. gov't.-graded calf.	1-Lb.	43¢
Pork Sausage	Pure, Wingate	1-Lb. Roll	29¢
Bacon Squares	Smoked	1-Lb.	29¢
Smoked Picnics	8 to 10 Lb. Avg. Sold whole only.	1-Lb.	29¢
Pikes Peak Roast	Gov't. graded calf	1-Lb.	65¢
Sirloin Steak	Gov't. graded calf	1-Lb.	69¢
Shortribs	or Brisket, U.S. gov't. graded calf.	1-Lb.	25¢
Sirloin Steak	U.S. gov't.-graded	1-Lb.	69¢
Pork Roast	Hammond	1-Lb.	53¢
Pork Chops	Center-cut	1-Lb.	69¢
Sliced Bacon	Cello-pack, Capital	1-Lb. Pkg.	47¢
Dry Salt Bacon	Center-cut	1-Lb.	33¢
Canned Picnics	4 1/2-Lb. Avg. Vacuum Canned	8-Oz. Pkg.	3.29
Luncheon Meat	Spiced	8-Oz. Pkg.	27¢
Pickle-Pimiento	or Olive Leaf	8-Oz. Pkg.	25¢
Large Bologna	Sliced	8-Oz. Pkg.	20¢



## Area Boy Scouts, Cubs and Explorers to Participate in Exposition for District

Hamlin area Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts and Explorers will participate in the greatest Scouting show of the year, which will be held at the Stamford city auditorium on Saturday, April 23, according to

Ray Davis, field executive for the Northern District of the Chisholm Trail Council.

Doors will open at 3:00 p. m. that Saturday and close at 8:30 p. m. The public is invited to attend.

## Funeral Rites for Mrs. R. L. Norris Held at Sylvester

Final rites for Mrs. R. L. Norris, 67-year-old housewife of the Sylvester community, were conducted Monday afternoon at the Sylvester Methodist Church. Officiating were Clifford Danny of Abilene, Rev. Delton Fisher, Methodist minister at Sylvester, and E. H. Phillips.

Mrs. Norris died early Sunday morning in the Callan Hospital at Rotan after an illness of a little more than a week.

Born April 1, 1887, in Freestone County, she was married November 11, 1906, at her home in the Shilo community.

Burial was in the Newman Cemetery under direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Med McCain, Ross Gruhen, R. T. Boyd, Albert Maberry, Lee Brewer, Armond Emith, Paul Stevens and Stanley Jackson.

Surviving Mrs. Norris are two sons, Bill Norris of Oceanside, California, and John Lee Norris of Mathis; two daughters, Mrs. W. T. Lawlis of Sylvester and Mrs. Ruth Botts of Austin; a brother, Otha Reeves of Mexia; a sister, Mrs. Alma Hughes of Fairfield; and eight grandchildren.

## Still Lighter Quota Set for April Calls For Only 432 Men

Draft quota for April reflects a continued decline, according to a release to The Herald. Likewise, only six or eight men will probably be called by the Anson draft board, which serves Shackelford, Haskell and Jones Counties.

State draft quota for April is 432 men for the Army, Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state selective service director, said.

This is the Texas share of a national quota of 8,000 men.

The April quota of 432 compares with a March quota of 584 and a February quota of 597.

There will be no men called up for pre-induction mental and physical examinations in April, General Wakefield said. With calls no higher than they are, he said he doubted if any examinations would be held before June or July.

With the exception of volunteers, the April call will be filled only with volunteers who on April 1 are at least 20 years and one month of age.

The average age of men now being inducted in Texas is past 21. Draft board quotas are being filled to a great extent with volunteers, General Wakefield said, and many of these volunteers are under the age of 20.

## Dovie Singing Tonight To Feature Visitors

A number of good singers from out of the community are expected this (Friday) evening at the regular singing at the Dovie community church, five miles east of Hamlin, according to community leaders.

Singing will get underway at 8:00 o'clock, to which the public is invited. Refreshments will be served to attendants at the close of the get-together.

## Egger Attends Two Town-Country Meets

Rev. Darris Egger, pastor of the First Methodist Church, last week attended two sessions of the Town and Country Commission of the Northwest Texas Conference of Methodist Churches. He is secretary of the section for the conference.

Egger was in Dallas last Tuesday and in Plainview Thursday for meetings of the commission.

## Bunkley Test Drilling Below 3,400 Feet

Wildcat of the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation of Abilene, the No. 1 Bunkley test was drilling below 3,400 feet this week in lime. Located on the J. Rodriguez Survey 357, it is located six miles south of Hamlin. It has a proposed depth of 3,900 feet.

No. 1 Bunkley was drilled with the tool open for 32 minutes. There was a weak blow for 24 minutes before it died. Recovery was 20 feet of slightly gas-cut mud.

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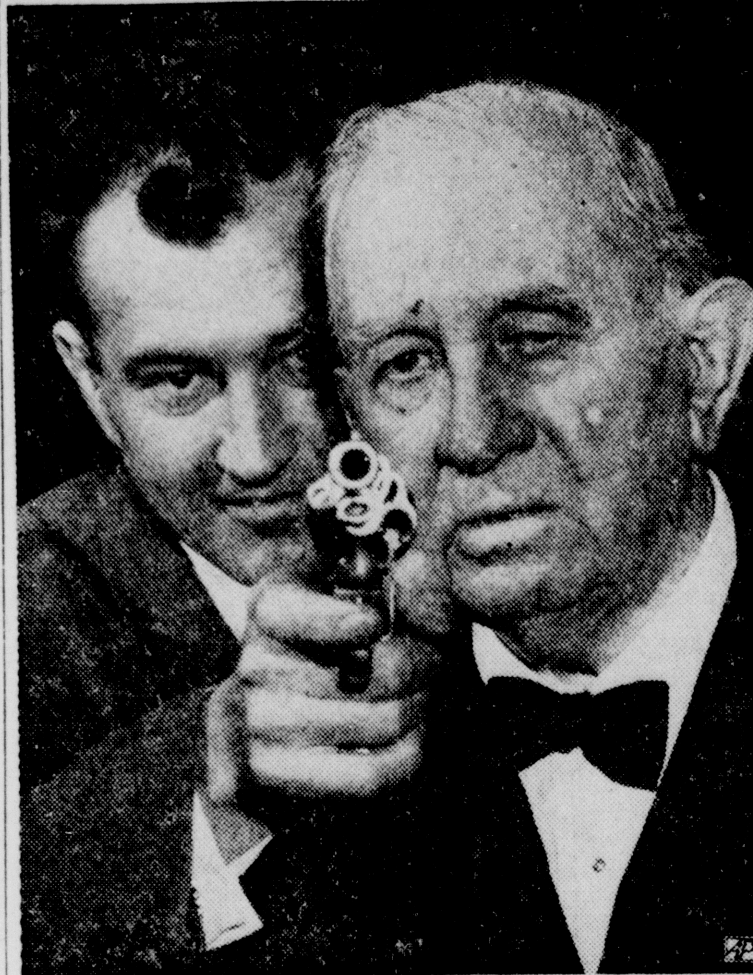
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It has a quieting effect on uterine contractions that often cause "period" pain.



**GUN TOTIN' TEXAN**—Tom Connally, a Texas tradition and long-time senator from the Lone Star State, looks along the barrel of a "Texas shootin' iron" as Representative J. C. Rutherford of Texas shows off the gun in Washington during a visit in his office. Rutherford, freshman congressman from Odessa, played host to Connally as the former senator revisited the capital scene.

## More Funds from State Received by Schools

Additional payments of state aid were received by the Hamlin Schools this week, according to Superintendent I. R. Huchingson.

Received in payments this week were checks for \$7,340, representing a \$6 per capita payment of \$6,414 and a salary and operations payment of \$4,926. These payments were made on the basis of 1,079 students in the school.

The \$6 payment on per capita received this week makes a total payment of \$39 for the year on a \$69-per-student apportionment for the year. Still due the Hamlin schools for the year are \$27,141.40 on the per capita, \$13,786 on the salary and operations (Gilmer-Aikin) and \$7,207 on the transportation, Huchingson said.

## Junior Class Sponsors Red Fox Unit April 5

Red Fox and the Fox 4-7 entertainers have been secured by the junior class at Hamlin High School for a program next Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the high school auditorium, officials of the class announce. Admission of 25 and 50 cents will be charged for the family entertainment.

Little Dee Don and Dean Beard will be two of the special singers. Tickets are available from any member of the junior class.

## Street Paving Moves At Slow Pace in City

Street paving work in Hamlin was continuing this week at a slower pace, but prospects were bright that many more blocks of work will be completed before the contract of C. & C. Paving Company, contractors for the project expires, reported Roy Dunlap, city engineer.

Part of the equipment of the concern was moved to Bronte over the week-end, where they have a 120-block contract project.

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## Traffic Laws Were Made for Safety of Everybody, Traffic Official Points Out

Have you ever chuckled at the fellow who cheats at solitaire?

If you have, you'll probably be interested in the views expressed by R. B. Roaper, president of the Texas Safety Association, as he discusses the know and obey traffic laws program which the Texas Safety Association and the Texas Department of Public Safety is conducting in cooperation with the National Safety Council.

Roaper says, "Many of us duplicate the chiseling solitaire player's tactics when we drive in traffic—sneaking through a stop light, driving a few miles over the speed limit or otherwise disobeying the traffic laws."

"Traffic laws are made for our protection and we're obviously cheating ourselves when we dis-

obey them," Roaper said. "And what's more, our irresponsible conduct also exposes everyone else on the road to danger."

Those of us who excuse our recklessness by saying we only disregard traffic laws when it's safe to do so came in for a special word of advice.

"We're just kidding ourselves when we come up with that alibi," Roaper said. "It's never safe to disobey traffic laws."

He explained that traffic laws are made after careful studies by traffic engineers and enforcement people, and that there's expert thinking behind the placement of traffic signs and signals.

"Here's an example," Roaper said: "You may be driving along a residential street, and, because there is no traffic at the moment, you may think it isn't necessary to stay within the posted limit of 20 miles per hour. Suddenly a little girl bounds out in front of your car. Her life depends on how fast you can stop. You didn't know it, but there are many youngsters living in the neighborhood and the people who set the speed limit were providing for just such an emergency as this."

Roaper urged Texas drivers not to cheat themselves by disobeying the law.

"It may be fun to fool yourself at solitaire," he said, "but it can be just plain fatal to fool yourself in traffic."

## Hamlin High Tennis Players Go to Meet

Tennis players from Hamlin High School will participate Saturday in the district tennis tournament at Merkel. Entries in both the boys' and girls' divisions of doubles and singles have been placed.

Ted Wright and Bill Everton will enter the boys' doubles section, and Don Adair will be the boys' singles representative. In the girls' doubles Carolyn Barnett and Lavada Teichelman will play, and Lusara Dean will be the girls' singles player.

True wisdom is to know what is best worth knowing, and to do what is best worth doing.—Edward P. Humphrey.

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## Faith Methodists to Begin Revival Sunday

An eight-day series of revival services will begin Sunday morning at the Faith Methodist Church in Southeast Hamlin, it was announced this week by the pastor, Rev. Orion N. Lewis, and will continue through Sunday, April 10.

Preaching for the services, which will be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock during the week, will be Pastor Lewis and Rev. Darris L. Egger, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Theme for the Holy Week revival will be "The Mighty Savior."

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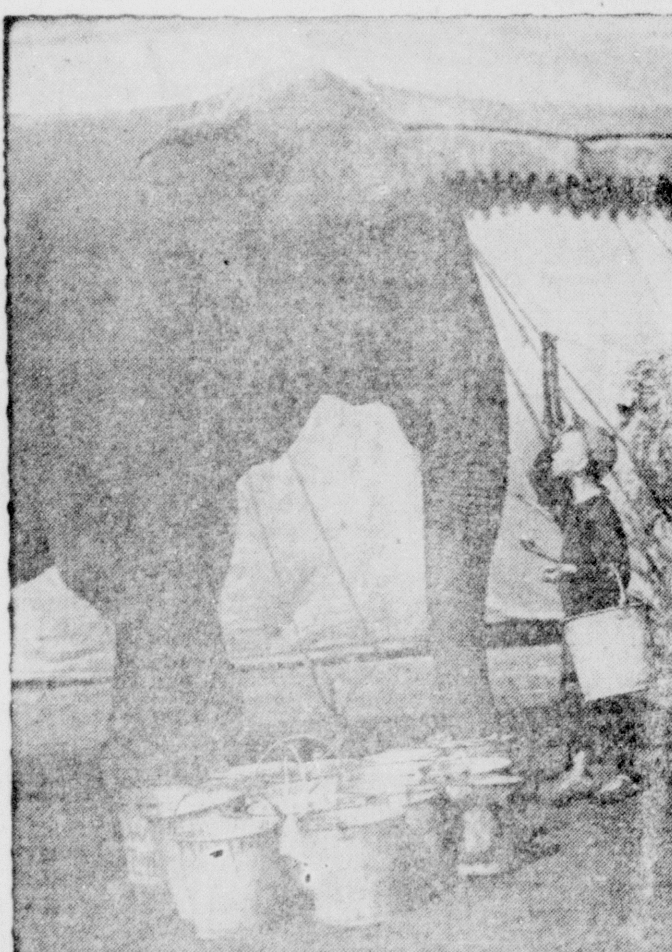
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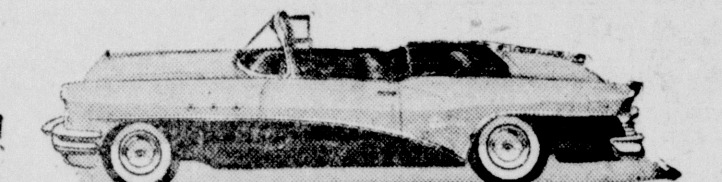
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April 1, 1955

## State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford, Austin, Texas Press Association

After prodding from a head coach, line coach and backfield, the Legislature got busy both the put and the take cases of its money job.

House and Senate committees reported the biggest biennial budget in history. The Senate version is for \$1,500,000,000. The House is slightly less.

In one day of debate, the House passed its bill, calling for \$212,000,000 in two years from the general revenue fund, now current in the red. It would require \$33,600,000 more than current pending, for general purposes, plus a proposed addition of some \$27,000,000 for highways.

Hearings by the revenue and taxation committee finally were held on Governor Allan Shivers' tax recommendations—the Murphy two-cent-per-gallon gasoline tax increase; and the Kirkin one-cent cigarette tax increase.

Although the current House is one of the "working" groups ever, Speaker Jim Lindsey called on the members to work harder. He predicted that most of the urgent program—water, insurance laws, hospital, tax and spending—could be achieved. He estimated \$60,000,000 new taxes would be required.

Governor Shivers renewed his urging for the gasoline tax hike, backed by the highway commission's estimate that Texas needs

to spend \$2,200,000,000 on highways during the next 10 years.

Representative Jerry Sadler, who said he was "authorized to speak for a majority of the House," told the revenue and taxation committee that the two-cent gasoline tax hike won't pass.

Sadler prefers a one-cent-per-gallon gasoline and condensate processing tax. This, he contends, would bring in \$160,000,000 a year and permit repeal of the present four-cent gasoline sales tax. A processing tax would reach out-of-state as well as Texas buyers of gasoline.

Sadler also has proposed a \$3.30-per-barrel hike in the tax on beer.

Heard by the oil, gas and mining committee was Representative J. B. Walling's "anti-waste" bill to set minimum prices for natural gas. At present rates this bill would bring in an estimated \$20,000,000 a year.

Under committee rules, the tax and gas conservation bills automatically went to subcommittees for a week's study.

Veteran land deals and their investigation resulted in an ever-growing list of legal suits against Bascom Giles, former commissioner of the general land office.

Filed by Attorney General John Ben Shepperd in 53rd District Court here was a civil suit against Giles, seeking a lien on property purportedly owned by the former commissioner in Falls County.

Giles has been indicted by a Bexar County grand jury on a charge of accepting a bribe. He also faces a Travis County indictment accusing him of conspiring to take \$83,500 in veterans' land program funds.

Issued by the Travis County jury was a subpoena directing officials of the Capital National Bank of Austin to produce Giles' bank records.

Other civil suits or recovery were filed, making a total of over \$2,000,000 that Shepperd is trying to recover for the state.

Governor Shivers went back a second time to appear before the Senate investigating committee. This time under oath.

He said that neither he nor any of his aides brought "undue pres-

sure" on the veterans land board to expedite processing of applications or loans.

It is the policy of the governor's office, said Shivers, to refer questions about the program to the veterans' land board.

Shivers testified further that he had never received any warning of any irregularities concerning the program, and that if he had, something would have been done about it.

Commending the investigators or their work, Shivers said, "There isn't anything as wholesome as bringing out the real acts and letting the public look at them."

Continuation of the veterans' land program is in doubt. House investigators have recommended liquidation of the present set-up.

Senator George Moffett abandoned "indefinitely" his plan to ask Texans to vote another \$100,000,000 in veterans' land bonds.

Only 15,000 of the 971,000 eligible veterans have applied for land to date, under the eight-year-old veterans' land program. That is less than 1.6 per cent of those who are eligible.

General Legislation.

Tourist Business—Texas will be able to advertise for tourists if the House okays a Senate-passed measure to permit the state to advertise—and if voters approve the constitutional amendment next year.

Insurance Bills—Senator Crawford Martin's bill requiring adequate financing of fire and casualty insurance companies, by ample capital stock and surplus, passed the Senate. It also broadened the supervisory powers of the state insurance commissioner.

Lunacy Trials—Backed by Governor Shivers is a proposed constitutional amendment to permit the waiver of jury trials in lunacy cases. It would permit persons of unsound mind to be committed to mental hospitals on the basis of medical or psychiatric testimony and avoid the mental anguish of jury trial. House members approved the bill 124 to 23.

Labor Legislation—Senate action is awaited on two labor bills which have received favorable committee reports. One would deny unemployment benefits to workers idled by a labor dispute between the same union and the same employer in a different plant. The other would prohibit picketing by a union or organization not representing a majority of the workers.

A young married man was heard to say that his wife just couldn't open cans like his mother used to.



ONE-YEAR SUBSCRIPTION of The Hamlin Herald will be received by M. F. Holmes of Hamlin for being the first to correctly identify the mystery farm picture above, printed in last week's paper, as that of the M. F. Green place, four miles southwest of Hamlin. The Green place is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gentry, son-in-law and daughter of the Greens. They raise cotton, wheat and feed on the 115-acre place, where good soil and water conservation practices have been utilized for several years.

## Deficit Spending by Government May Be Curbed by Legislators, Says Burleson

The federal government takes \$63,600,000,000 dollars per year from our citizens in taxes, reports Congressman Omar Burleson in his weekly news release, entitled "Washington: As It Looks from Here." The release continues:

State and local governments too take their toll. Federal taxes of today are 21 per cent of the national income, and amount to \$396 for every man, woman and child in our land. It amounts to \$1,249 per family. The national debt is \$5,476 per family, and \$1,729 per person. Thus, each child born in the United States automatically upon arrival shares in the national debt to the extent of \$1,729.

The handling of these vast sums involving defense, welfare, the numerous public services and other governmental functions is, of course, in the hands of our public officials. The nation, therefore, should have the most skilled, the most energetic and faithful public servants if there is to be efficient and economical administration.

One reaches the point at times of feeling that the best way to curb the astronomical expenditures of government is to provide less money. This has been tried, but what happens is that the government goes ahead and spends money it does not have, which means deficit financing.

The only answer is to prohibit government from spending more than it takes in from taxes, and to force the Congress and every legislative body before it adjourns to provide money for any appropriations it makes.

Alcoholic advertising is heaped to the youth in millions of American homes. Dr. Caradine R. Hooton, executive secretary of the Methodist Board of Temperance, says that this situation must be corrected.

"The liquor people now spend more than \$250,000,000 a year to shove their products into American homes through every advertising medium available," the Methodist official said. "The millions of citizens who wish to rear their children in an alcohol-free atmosphere find this constant barrage repugnant," stated Dr. Hooton.

Incidentally, Dr. Hooton was pastor of the First Methodist Church in Stamford a number of years ago.

President Eisenhower has the final decision to make as to whether or not the United States defends Quemoy and Matsu Islands, only a stone's throw from the Chinese mainland. It is assumed the Chinese Communists will attack these islands unless the forces of Chiang Kai-Shek are

withdrawing to Formosa. If the Nationalist forces are withdrawn, it will be said that the free world has again yielded to Communist pressures. If the islands are defended, it could develop into a real shooting war. The decision of the president, if and when a decision must be made, is not an easy one.

"It is amazing how much more we are impressed with trouble when it is our own."

All wisdom is not new wisdom, and the past should be studied if the future is to be successfully encountered.—Sir Winston Churchill.

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## M. F. Holmes Gets Subscription for Identifying Picture

First solution to last week's mystery farm picture, ninth in the series being printed in The Herald, again proved to be correct. It was submitted by M. F. Holmes of Hamlin, who correctly identified the aerial view as that of the M. F. Green place, four miles southwest of Hamlin.

The place was purchased about two years ago from C. L. Garrett. Former owners of the place were not known to the Greens.

The 115-acre farm is being managed by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gentry. Mrs. Gentry formerly was a Green.

Cotton, maize and wheat are the principal crops cultivated by the Gentrys, who are using new chiseling methods of farming and other approved good soil practices.

The Gentrys have been married for 10 years, and have two children, Melva and Stephen Ray. They are members of the Hamlin First Baptist Church.

Holmes, by virtue of his submitting the correct identification of the picture, will receive a one-year subscription to The Herald.

Visiting Ill. Sister.

Mrs. Vera Nobles left last week for Brownwood to be with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Collins, who is convalescing at her home after sustaining a broken leg in a fall. Mrs. Nobles expects to be gone about two months.

Advice to the business men of Hamlin: Don't overlook your advertising in 1955 and your customers won't overlook you.

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## Forty-Three Presented Awards After Study Courses at Church

Forty-three awards were presented to attendants of a soul winning study course conducted last week at the North Central Avenue Baptist Church, according to Rev. Woodrow McHugh, pastor.

Teaching the book, "Every Christian's Job" for adults was Rev. McHugh. Other courses in the study were: "Intermediate Fishers," for intermediates and young people, taught by Mrs. McHugh; "Jesus Saves" for juniors, taught by Robert Carey; and Elementary Bible Stories taught by Mrs. Robert Christian.

Receiving awards in the study periods were: Rev. and Mrs. Woodrow McHugh, Mrs. S. F. Clay, Mrs. A. G. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhoton, Mrs. D. B. Phillips, Mrs. Frank Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Madden, Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell, Mrs. Raymond Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Christian, Mrs. W. J. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carey, Mrs. D. A. Mullins, Mrs. Harold Lee, Jack Taffert, Sharon Carey, Minnie Campbell, Beth Christian, Mrs. Travis Robertson, Travis Robertson Jr., Jimmy Greenway, George Smith, Margaret Lee, Laverne Stewart, Danny Carey, Carolyn Ann McHugh, Delia Carol Nichols, Eddie Jay McHugh, Linda Sue Lee, Buster Nichols, Susie Nichols, Brenda Lee, Mary Jean McHugh, Judy Kay McHugh and Patricia Christian.

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FOR SALE—Farmall H tractor, S. C. Ferguson Jr., phone 283-J4. Hamlin. 22-tfc

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FOR SALE—50 acres sandy land; 25 acres cultivation; 400 pear trees, one acre plums; one-eighth acre plums. \$1,000.—D. M. White at the White Plaza Hotel, I. 1c, 62-22

FOR SALE—Baby chick special for April: Straight run chicks, 112 per 100; also started chicks and fryers.—Hillcrest Hatchery, phone 1c, 62-22

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Regular \$200.00, for this sale only	<b>\$125.00</b>
Regular \$99.00, for this sale only	<b>\$49.75</b>
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Regular \$75.00, for this sale only	<b>\$39.75</b>
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Regular \$47.50, for this sale only	<b>\$39.75</b>
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Regular \$69.50, for this sale only	<b>\$55.00</b>
Regular \$39.75, for this sale only	<b>\$29.95</b>
Regular \$55.00, for this sale only	<b>\$43.95</b>
Regular \$60.50, for this sale only	<b>\$39.95</b>
Regular \$65.00, for this sale only	<b>\$42.50</b>
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Regular \$65.00, for this sale only	<b>\$33.75</b>
Regular \$59.50, for this sale only	<b>\$29.75</b>
Regular \$57.50, for this sale only	<b>\$27.50</b>
Regular \$49.75, for this sale only	<b>\$24.95</b>
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Regular \$27.50, for this sale only	<b>\$19.95</b>
Regular \$19.95, for this sale only	<b>\$12.95</b>
Regular \$24.95, for this sale only	<b>\$19.95</b>
Regular \$29.75, for this sale only	<b>\$19.95</b>
Regular \$37.50, for this sale only	<b>\$29.75</b>
Regular \$29.75, for this sale only	<b>\$16.95</b>
Regular \$19.95, for this sale only	<b>\$9.95</b>
Regular \$45.00, for this sale only	<b>\$19.95</b>
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Regular \$64.00, for this sale only	<b>\$39.95</b>
Regular \$60.50, for this sale only	<b>\$39.95</b>
Regular \$64.00, for this sale only	<b>\$39.95</b>
Regular \$71.50, for this sale only	<b>\$39.95</b>
Regular \$37.50, for this sale only	<b>\$29.95</b>
Regular \$57.50, for this sale only	<b>\$44.95</b>
Regular \$62.50, for this sale only	<b>\$49.95</b>
Regular \$37.50, for this sale only	<b>\$29.95</b>
Regular \$47.50, for this sale only	<b>\$37.50</b>
Regular \$33.75, for this sale only	<b>\$29.75</b>
Regular \$100.00, for this sale only	<b>\$79.50</b>
Regular \$45.00, for this sale only	<b>\$37.50</b>
Regular \$37.50, for this sale only	<b>\$29.95</b>
Regular \$33.75, for this sale only	<b>\$29.75</b>
Regular \$37.50 for this sale only	<b>\$29.95</b>
Regular \$24.95, for this sale only	<b>\$19.95</b>
Regular \$29.75, for this sale only	<b>\$23.95</b>
Regular \$29.75, for this sale only	<b>\$23.95</b>
Regular \$42.50, for this sale only	<b>\$19.95</b>
Regular \$62.50, for this sale only	<b>\$39.95</b>
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